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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain; fresh south wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled, with showers; fresh south wind.

Sunrise, 6:44; sunset, 4:44; moon sets, 5:41 a. m. Sunday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 53 deg. Wind 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 6 miles; 5 p. m., southwest; velocity, 5 miles. At midnight the temperature was 54 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 53 deg.; cloudy.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p. m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, trace; season to date, 4.85 inches; to same date last season, 1.19 inches; normal, 2.56 inches.

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The City.

Huntington plans startling extensions of Los Angeles Railroad line, which he intends to parallel the Harriman trolley toward Covina and other suburban towns.

Alleged counterfeiter caught by secret service men asserts that he was only trying to make medals for the babies of the Made in Southern California baby show.

Thousands of civil actions cause a congestion in the Superior Court calendar and call for the appointment of extra judges to the expense of litigation.

Board of Education sets January 6 as the date for voting upon the question of issuing school bonds to the amount of three-quarters of a million.

Bakersfield.

Police Commissioner Sam Jernigan acquitted by a jury of the charge of falsely imprisoning Bradner Lee.

Bradner takes rough on rats, apparently without cause, and dies from her wounds.

Mrs. Concepcion Warner, niece of the late Governor of California, ends life herself with poison.

Baby land babies strive for prizes at the Made in Southern California Exposition.

At a meeting of tuberculosis experts a lamp flashes out every three minutes, in time snuffing out of lives of white plague.

Dr. Rose Harris dismissed from the Health Department after trial by the Civil Service Board.

Southern California.

Methodist churchmen and members of Christian clubs object to stage hold-up as feature of Tournament of Roses programme.

Japanese fetes officers of French warship Dupleix.

Every dwelling house in Wilmington is rented and large enterprises under way indicate healthy real estate activity.

Pasadena's building permits for year represent nearly four hundred thousand dollars.

Anti-saloon opponents of municipal ownership leads at Long Beach, Mayor calls special meeting.

San Bernardino stockholders in War Eagle Mining Company charge president Hussey with conspiracy to defraud.

Pasadena pays last honors to police officer who accidentally killed himself.

Mexican gang at Santa Ana declares vendetta.

Wife of San Diego man provides that if he remarries she loses interest in immense large estate.

Newsboy for years dependent upon circle of friends, succeeds to fortune.

Hotel Slope.

Coroner closes its case against Chinese refuses to say whether verdict will be submitted.

Woman who married one of rival clans second at behest of husband's dying request.

Sailor from whaler Bowhead tells of vessel "hell ship," on which men starved and beaten to death.

Activity in readiness for launching of Matthews at Mare Island navy yard.

Pasadena woman, forced to drive garbage wagon while husband was on spree, gets divorce.

Eastern.

Uncle Joe Cannon will stand pat on present rules in organizing Sixty-first Congress.

Actress divorcee gives advice on how to choose a husband.

Outlines legislative programme of administration.

Pacific Line Freight Association and Transcontinental railroads in conflict over rates to be made of California shipments.

Equitable Life Insurance President pays tribute to Grover Cleveland at memorial exercises in New York.

Chicago grand jury investigating vote frauds. Chicago condemns primary election.

Washington.

Senator Foraker expected to make big fight for self-defense in Senate and refuses to talk on President.

Dowager Empress of China sent jewelry presents to Mrs. Longworth.

Speaker Cannon defends rules of House and says they are necessary for dispatch of business.

Democratic members of Ways and Means Committee give Democrats to understand they'll have no hand in framing tariff bill.

Extension of powers for forming of international code in naval warfare discussed at London.

Senator Bourne, pointing out that Castro has millions on deposit in Europe, declares he will never return.

Venezuelan Legationer Gonzales troops by steamer Caracas, awaiting orders.

Prospects for higher prices in Wall Street, with unusual appearance of strength in wheat pit is bullish and causes nervousness within half-hour.

"DISGRACE TO CITY."

GRAND JURY SCORES DIRECT PRIMARY.

Frauds Render Chicago Nominations Morally Worthless, Says Report.

Windy City's First Attempt Under New Law Marked by Almost Limitless Crookedness—Non-residents, Insane and Dead Men Vote, and Repeaters in Platoons Are Aided by Officials.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The ballots of men long residents of other cities, of temporary absentees, of the insane and even of the dead, were cast in the primary election of last August in Chicago.

"Repeaters" voted in platoons with the connivance of wilfully unseeing judges and clerks of election, and fraud, rampant to an extent hitherto unknown in a city never famous for the purity of its political atmosphere, rendered the resultant party nominations morally worthless.

These and other startling allegations were made today in the report of the special grand jury which, after several weeks of delving into charges growing out of Chicago's first primary and returning eighty-one indictments against two-score or more of politicians and others, adjourned. The investigation, owing to physical limitations, merely scratched the surface of the situation, according to the report, and doubt is expressed that there has been an honest city or general election in Chicago in years.

The findings of the inquisitorial body characterized the primary election as a disgrace to the city. Voting machines are urgently advocated as a step in a remedial direction and a wider application of civil service is recommended.

It is said that while the jury can not affirm that no frauds were perpetrated by civil service employés, it is significant that th inquisitors found none such. On the other hand, the report marks the fact that although the police were in the vicinity of every polling booth, the investigators received no aid from them in seeking to fasten responsibility for the conditions which prevailed.

Referring to the fact that Frank J. Loesch, the special State's attorney appointed to conduct the investigation, [illegible] whether there has been any honest general or city election in Chicago in years past. We report that, in our opinion much of said fraudulent voting was done in pursuance of general schemes of corruption, the nature, character and extent of which we had not the time to fully develop."

The report declares that the election commission should exercise greater care in the selection of officials and it recommends, in closing, a law making compulsory the services of voters as judges and clerks of the election and that general election inspectors provided for by law shall be men of character and standing, with police authority.

The ballots of [illegible] purse for necessary expenses in one instance, the report denounces the men responsible. Touching on conditions which have obtained at elections the report says:

"In addition to the testimony directly bearing upon the crimes and misdemeanors for which true bills were found, the grand jury heard much testimony regarding the conduct of said primary election and also general elections, and finds a deplorable condition of affairs in certain wards, not creditable to the officials who are charged by law with the conduct of elections and disgraceful to the city of Chicago, which has permitted such election frauds to go on almost unquestioned until this time.

"We find, and so report, that no confidence can be placed in the reported results in favor of or against any candidate for a party nomination at the primary election, and yet that election cost the taxpayers of Chicago fully $75,000.

"Fraudulent registration leading to fraudulent voting; repeating by platoons of men who were voted first for one party, then for the other party, candidates at the same precinct; voting names of absentees, non-residents, insane and dead men, accepting false affidavits on behalf of the disqualified voters known to the judge to be so; numerous and flagrant perjuries by party voters to enable them to cast illegal votes, taking votes from non-resident voters without affidavits in support of such votes; fraudulently writing names on the poll books and putting ballots in the boxes to correspond; keeping upon the registers names of men who had removed from the precincts and voting them; voting the same name more than once at the same precinct; disfranchising voters by permitting their names to be voted by others; marking ballots after the boxes were opened, handing voters ballots already marked for certain candidates; marking ballots for voters against their wishes and so putting ballots into the ballot box; intimidating voters and compelling them to vote for their candidates contrary to their wishes; strangers and police officers being permitted to handle the ballots after the boxes were opened so as to permit of fraudulent marking of ballots, were proven before us and are by no means all of the devices which we have reason to believe were resorted to.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAMME.

OUTLINE OF TAFT'S ADMINISTRATION PLAN.

Tariff Revision and Amendment of Sherman Act Said to Be Subjects for Extra Session—List of Laws Leader Would Have Enacted.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The World tonight received from its staff correspondent at Hot Springs, Va., the following as the principal legislative programme of the Taft administration:

Tariff revision is the primary reason for the extra session that will be called immediately after March 4, 1909, but the next President sees no reason why, during the extra session, the Sherman anti-trust law should not be so amended that railroads may make rate agreements under the strict supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

An extra session of Congress differs from an extra session of a State Legislature in that Congress in such session may take action on such matters as it pleases, while a State Legislature is confined to the subjects mentioned in the message or messages from the Governor. It is not likely that more subjects than the tariff and an amendment to the Sherman act will be named by Mr. Taft in calling the extra session, though he may decide later to mention all of the principal laws that he hopes to see enacted. These are:

(1.) A law putting a limitation on the issuance of interstate bonds and stocks.

(2.) A law authorizing railroads to make rate agreements, which otherwise would be in violation of the anti-trust law, subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

(3.) A law defining particular cases in which temporary restraining orders may issue without notice, and prescribing proceedings limiting their operation to the very shortest day.

(4.) Such amendments to the law organizing the Bureau of Corporations as shall require certain large corporations doing an interstate commerce business to submit to the scrutiny and examination of agents of the Federal government.

(5.) A law reorganizing the Department of Justice, Interstate Commerce Commission and the Department of Commerce and Labor, in respect to the jurisdictions exercised by them over interstate corporations, both railroads and other. It is Mr. Taft's idea that the three departments should work harmoniously and progressively, so that no one shall be going over ground covered by another, and so that there shall be no conflict of authority. Ultimately cases heretofore handled in these departments must now go to courts, but it is Mr. Taft's idea that a large number of cases can be disposed of finally and equitably with the departments under the right sort of law. While he has not mapped out such a law definitely, it can be said that the general idea is that the Bureau of Corporations of the Department of Commerce shall exercise an examining jurisdiction; the Department of Justice shall act as prosecutor only, and the Interstate Commerce Commission shall act as a sort of grand jury, with quasi judicial powers.

(6.) Reform in the monetary and banking systems of the country. This is recognized as one of the great problems before the new administration, but it is not expected that it will be taken up at the extra session.

(7.) Conservation of the national resources of the country, including the Appalachian Bill. The question of the constitutional power of the Federal government in this matter is not yet clear. It can be said that Mr. Taft is in sympathy with the end to be accomplished, but that he will recommend no legislation until he is satisfied as to the exact length to which the Federal government can go.

(8.) Improvement of rivers and harbors. The new administration is committed to an energetic policy of improvement, particularly of inland waterways. The nine-foot channel from Pittsburgh to Cairo is to the front at present. It will cost $61,600,000, and the next President favors the issuance of bonds to push the work.

MARIANIS ARE DIVORCED.

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 4.—Miss Elizabeth Johnson Mariani, daughter of Mayor Tom L. Johnson, today was granted a divorce from Frederick Mariani of New York. She testified that her husband had never supported her. Miss Johnson and Mariani were married in March, 1907, at the home of the Mayor. Shortly afterward the couple went to New York to live. In a few months they separated. Mariani is an Italian playwright.

THINK CASTRO IN FLIGHT.

Paris Papers Say President Will Never Return to Venezuela; Has $60,000,000 Saved.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PARIS, Dec. 4.—Some of the newspapers here express the belief that President Castro has deserted Venezuela forever. They say that for years he has been sending money to England and France, where they estimate he has $60,000,000 deposited.

SURGEON NOT NOTIFIED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—Dr. Israel said today that he had received no notice that President Castro of Venezuela desired his services for an operation. It is thought that President Castro will leave the steamer Guadelupe at Santander, Spain, instead of continuing on to Bordeaux.

NO PREPARATIONS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BORDEAUX, Dec. 4.—Dr. Pousseu, proprietor of the only sanatorium here where an operation on President Castro is possible, has not been notified that Dr. Israel purposes to operate.

HOW TO CHOOSE HUSBAND.

"DON'TS" FOR UNMARRIED.

DIVORCEE GIVES ADVICE TO THE BRIDES-TO-BE.

Woman Who Wed Italian Musician Gives Reception to Celebrate Her Freedom and Sets Down Matrimonial Axioms—Draws Line Against Foreigners and Musicians.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Don't marry a slender man. The fat man makes the best husband.

Don't marry a foreigner. He won't understand you.

Don't marry a musician. His temperament makes him nervous.

Don't marry a man who prides himself on his good looks.

Marry an Irishman if you can get him. He will let you boss him.

Don't get married again.

This was the advice given prospective brides today by Miss Anna Sowney, until last Monday Mrs. Pietro Angelo Pascale, who last evening celebrated her regained freedom by a reception.

She was very particular to have it understood that her decree of divorce [illegible] of her neighborhood, being the daughter of a fireman who lost his life in a trivial market-house blaze.

An Italian musician won her heart and hand, but family jars occurred and even the arrival of a baby boy failed to keep the husband and father at the home she owned. He offered her the shelter of another roof, which she spurned. Then he sued for divorce and lost the case.

Then Mrs. Pascale brought suit and when she won, despite her aversion to musicians as husbands, she had an orchestra of a dozen pieces enliven her celebration last night.

ANYWAY, CASTRO'S SAFE.

DUTCH SHIPS SHOW TEETH.

PATROLLING COAST TO SCARE VENEZUELA.

Netherlands, Being Unable to Obtain Amicable Settlement, Begins Naval Demonstration—La Guayra Puts Out City Lights and Aims Guns at Warship, Van Heemskerk.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WILLEMSTAD, Dec. 4.—Having been unable to obtain an amicable settlement of outstanding differences with Venezuela, the Netherlands government has begun a naval demonstration off the coast of the South American republic and since Wednesday vessels flying the Dutch flag have steamed from Puerto Cabello to La Guayra at a distance of three thousand yards from the shore.

The battleship Jacob Van Heemskerk and the cruisers Gelderland and Friesland are engaged in the operation, which it is said will continue indefinitely. The Van Heemskerk arrived this morning bringing the above news. The two cruisers had proceeded to Maracaibo, it was said, though the officers observed secrecy concerning the movements of the vessels. The Heemskerk will relieve the Gelderland at Maracaibo, Monday.

With steam up in all her boilers the Heemskerk arrived at La Guayra at 5 o'clock this morning. As soon as she was sighted all the lights in the city were extinguished. From the deck of the ship could be seen the guns ashore pointing toward the battleship which was kept ready for action. The Heemskerk remained but one day off La Guayra and yesterday proceeded up the coast and passed between the shore and the small sandy islands in the bay of Puerto Cabello off the city of Puerto Cabello.

The demonstration is regarded as indicating the preparations for an effective blockade of the Venezuelan coast are complete.

It is reported that the Netherlands battleship De Ruijter left Holland yesterday for this port.

AMERICAN SUPPORT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at The Hague says that a dispatch has been received there that four American warships are expected at Curacao in January and says it is certain that the United States will staunchly support Holland as against Venezuela.

SOCIETY WOMAN INTERESTED IN SUFFRAGETTES.

Mrs. Philip D. Lydig.

New York society leader, who attended last night's suffragette demonstration, with others of the Four Hundred.

REFINED ROUGH HOUSE.

NEW YORK SOCIETY CHEERS SUFFRAGISTS.

Leaders of Four Hundred Hear Rockefeller Pastor Denounce Supreme Court Justices, and Mrs. Catt Call President "Tree Toad."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three mass meetings to discuss the great, growing question of woman suffrage were held in New York today. There was also a reception by Mrs. Borroman Wells, just out of an English prison, to hundreds who clamored to meet her. But the climax to this day of demonstration for votes for women was reached tonight at Carnegie Hall, in a fiery denunciation by Dr. Charles Aked, pastor of the fashionable Fifth Avenue Baptist Church—Rockefeller's church—of the Supreme Court justices who attended the Croker dinner.

A background of society, the best that New York affords, and foreground of eloquence, wafted woman suffrage tonight at Carnegie Hall to an eminence of popularity, a dizzy height of acclaim that only the sound of the marching English women across the water could have made possible.

Two thousand people—men as well as women—had come to listen to the four clearest speakers expound the justice of the cause.

"FOUR HUNDRED" THERE.

Facing them in that double tier were Mrs. Clarence Mackay, Mrs. George Gould, Mrs. Philip Lydig, Mrs. Egerton Winthrop, Jr., Mrs. Ernesto Fabbri, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Miss Dorothy Whitney and Mrs. Perry Belmont—names that have never heretofore been associated with women's rights, if Mrs. Mackay's fight for a position on the school board be excepted.

The proceedings of the Carnegie Hall meeting were further enlivened when Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the chairman, characterized President Roosevelt as "tree toad," also Rabbi S. Wise, who declared that the only reason for reconsideration of the "Brownsville incident" was the fear and hope of the negro vote.

CROKER FLAYED.

Although Dr. Aked referred but briefly to the recent dinner at Sherry's, where Richard Croker was fêted by ten justices of the Supreme Court and by Dist.-Atty. Jerome, he indulged in extreme bitterness of invective. He shot his words so forcibly that he was applauded for minutes, the box parties made up of the top liners in society joining in heartily. He said:

"Politics is a trade—a very dirty trade at that. I have not the slightest idea which of your political parties is worse than the other. If you are to find out, you have to guess, and you cannot guess wrong.

"But, believe me, you should not remain contented, in the face of a situation where a political party protects the dive, the low saloon and the infamous house.

"Nor should you tolerate a party which brings the justices of the Supreme Court and the District Attorney of a great commonwealth to grovel on the carpet before a retired rum seller and a chief of the Tammany Wigwam."

This denunciation drove the women frantic, and the men spectators joined in heartily with the applause which followed this added rebuke to the judges criticised by Rabbi Wise.

The speakers included Mrs. Philip Snowden, an English suffragist and orator of beauty and eloquence; the Rev. Charles Aked and Rabbi Wise. The boxes were filled with society women and the house rang with enthusiastic applause.

The Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, editor of the Outlook, in the course of an address in Berkeley Theater in opposition to granting the right to vote to women, read the following letter from President Roosevelt, which, he said, he read with the President's permission, although it was not written for publication nor for this occasion:

"Practically, I believe in woman's suffrage," said Mr. Roosevelt, at the outset of the letter, which is dated November 10, 1908. "But I am not an enthusiastic advocate of it because I do not regard it as a very important matter. I am unable to see that there has been any special improvement in the condition of women in those States in the West that have adopted woman's suffrage, as compared with those States adjoining them that have not adopted it. I do not think that giving the women suffrage will produce any marked improvement in the condition of women. I do not believe it will prevent any of the evils feared, and I am very certain that when

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WARLIKE.

AUSTRIA DISPATCHES TROOPS BY STEAMER.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

VIENNA, Dec. 4.—Two steamers of the Hungarian-Croatian line, with troops aboard, left Fiume today under sealed orders. Two other steamers will follow tomorrow.

It is supposed that their destination is Cattaro, a seaport of Austria on the Adriatic, contiguous to Montenegro territory.

War rumors continue in circulation, but on official denials today prices on the Bourse advanced considerably and an optimistic feeling prevails in official circles.

With reference to a reported frontier fight between Hungarians and Montenegrans and Bilek, in which it was alleged that a Hungarian lieutenant, Teitler, had been killed, the government made absolute denial of the report tonight. It explained that Teitler committed suicide, owing to a love affair.

BOMBARDMENT REPORTED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PARIS, Dec. 4.—A special dispatch received here from Vienna says that a message from the Cattaro branch of the Austro-Hungarian Bank to the bank's Agram branch stated that Cattaro had been bombarded since 9 o'clock this morning. The dispatch adds at the ministry of war it was said that the ministry had no information on the subject but "it was impossible to deny the news."

IN SAFE HANDS.

DEMOCRATS OUT OF IT.

Republicans to Attend to Tariff.

Minority Members Told to Go Away and Play While Work Is Done.

Champ Clark Wants to See Californian Who Favors Free Trade.

Fight for Protection of Lemons Extends to Papers of Middle West.

BY HARRY C. CARR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a secret council of war of the Ways and Means Committee today, the six Democratic members were informed that they may run away and play; the Republican members will attend to the tariff.

One of the members of the committee stated that the Democrats were informed that the twelve Republican members will frame the Payne bill.

The Democrats received the blow with good grace. Asked if the Democrats will bring in a minority report, the committeeman said he thought not as the general line will be to reduce the tariff rates; the Democrats, he said, can hardly fight that.

California's fight for the fruit tariff caught a retort today from Champ Clark, the lank Missourian who is the new minority leader in the House. Some witnesses were testifying in favor of a tariff reduction when Clark suddenly asked:

"Is there any one in California who is interested in this?"

"No sir," was the reply.

"Well," said the Democratic leader, "if there is any one in California [illegible]

Part of the fight in favor of protection of California lemons has been shifted from Washington to Chicago. The California Fruit Exchange, through a large Chicago advertising agency, is making an appeal to the editors of all the important newspapers of the Middle West on the theory that nearly every large paper in that section controls a Congressman.

Most of the newspapers so approached have been friendly to California's demand, although densely ignorant of the lemon situation.

WANTS DUTY TAKEN FROM PEAT MOSS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The various sections of the tariff law and miscellaneous matters were considered by the Committee of the House on Ways and Means today. It was the last of the hearings originally arranged for, but hearings will be held at various times until December 19.

W. P. Wakeman, secretary of the American Protective League, who was the appraiser for the port of New York from 1897 to 1901, called the attention to what he asserted were weaknesses in the administration of the tariff laws.

Former Representative Montague Tessler of New York, appeared before the committee in favor of having the duty of one dollar a ton on peat moss removed.

John M. Peters of New York, secretary of the National Association of Importers, spoke on the section of the administrative act of the tariff law applying to undervaluations.

Chairman Payne asked Mr. Peters to file a brief.

Gordon F. Morse of Detroit asked that higher duty be imposed on gasoline marine engines imported into the Philippine Islands from every country but the United States.

"What you want, Mr. Morse, "said Mr. Hill (Republican) of Connecticut, "is the same protection in the Philippines that you are getting in the United States, Hawaii and Porto Rico, and I think that at some time soon you will get that."

Representative William C. Lovering, (Republican) of Massachusetts, spoke with reference to the drawback provisions of the tariff. He offered several amendments, claiming that the law had been found to have certain defects which tend to limit its usefulness.

TITTONI'S DEFENSE.

Italian Diplomat Says Integrity of Realm Necessitated Holding to Triple Alliance.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ROME, Dec. 4.—Foreign Minister Tittoni made a speech in the Chamber of Deputies today in which he defended his conduct of the foreign policy of Italy during the recent trouble in the Balkans. He said it was impossible for him to have done otherwise, for the simple reason that if Italy withdrew from the triple alliance she would not be able to find sufficient support in Europe to guarantee the integrity of the realm.

STANDARD OIL GETS GRANT.

TRENTON (N. J.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The State Riparian Board announced today that it has made a riparian grant at Bayway, near Elizabeth, to the Standard Oil Company, the State to receive a fee of $70,000. The oil trust is to utilize the tract and surrounding territory for a mammoth pipe-line terminal and a model village, in which 5000 men will be employed.

EULOGY.

HONOR MEMORY OF CLEVELAND.

Notable Exercises Conducted by Insurance Men.

Late President Recalled as a Model Patriot.

Tributes Expressed by Former Cabinet Officers.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Notable exercises in memory of the late Grover Cleveland, ex-President of the United States, constituted the opening session in this city today of the convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents, of which Mr. Cleveland had been chairman during the year and a half between the time of its organization and his death.

The programme, which was brief, included addresses by President Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, and Dr. John H. Finley, president of the College of the City of New York, and the reading of letters from former Vice-President Adlai E. Stevenson, Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia and Hilary A. Herbert, the latter two members of Mr. Cleveland's cabinets.

This meeting had been looked forward to as an interesting forerunner of the general memorial meeting for Mr. Cleveland to be held in this city March 18, next year.

Paul Morton spoke of Mr. Cleveland in a personal way and of his connection with the life insurance business. In conclusion, he said:

"Mr. Cleveland will long be remembered by the American people:

"Because it was he who, in 1894, during the great labor riots at Chicago, ordered out the military force and quelled the mob, thereby stamping out anarchy, extinguishing the fire of incendiarism, suppressing violence and restoring law and order.

"Because in his Venezuelan message he forcefully emphasized for the first time in an official way that the Monroe Doctrine was to be practiced as well as preached by America.

"Because he sympathized with and put into actual operation more than any other President has ever done the rules and regulations of the civil service.

"Because he stook like an adamantine rock first, last and all the time in favor of a sound currency.

"Because he was a man who stood for peace and good will between all the nations of the world.

"Because he never hesitated to do his whole duty as he saw it without fear or favor."

Dr. Finley spoke of the splendid example of the late President in his public and private career.

FIDELITY TO DUTY.

Gov. Smith sent the following in his letter:

"Mr. Cleveland was a man of great industry, although not naturally fond of work. His sense of duty caused him to labor continuously upon any problem connected with his official responsibilities until he had exhausted all means to find the truth. While going through the process of investigation of any subject he was a ready listener, and glad to receive information and suggestions. After having completed the work of investigation and having reached a conclusion, he adhered immovably to that conclusion.

"His great characteristic was fidelity to his conception of duty, and this characteristic was so marked that from it followed tireless industry and unyielding courage. He was a man of unusual wisdom, and his intuition was most acute. His opinions of men were almost unerring.

"He was suspicious of politicians, and could not tolerate machine methods, but he had an abiding faith in the people, and was devoted to the governmental institutions of his country. He really loved his country, not as a matter of personal ambition, but as a thing apart from his own interests.

"He detested graft even in its mildest form, and intensely believed the doctrine that public office should be treated as a public trust and not to be used for private gain.

"In all matters of official conduct Mr. Cleveland lived up to his high ideals, never abandoning them for a temporary success.

"In his home life the big, and, to the world, sometimes rough, man, was gentle and loving as a little child, and the tender spirit, usually covered behind the determined will, was always present.

"In God and the future his faith knew no doubt. It rested upon the convictions of his youth, unchanged by manhood or old age."

A letter sent by Hilary A. Herbert, Secretary of the Navy under Mr. Cleveland, follows, in part.

"Grover Cleveland, the only Democratic President during the fifty-two years stretching from March 4, 1861, to March 4, 1913, will always stand out as one of the most striking figures in our political history—striking not only because of his intellectual ability and unswerving devotion to lofty ideals, but also because of what he accomplished, as well as what he sought but failed to accomplish.

"His first election, 1884, though other issues had been involved, was largely a protest against the political reconstruction that had followed the Civil War and the unfortunate crimination and recrimination that had ensued from its results. In this happy era of unprecedented amenities in political debates the public can have no idea of the angry discussions of 1872 to 1884.

"It is common at this day to accredit this era of good feeling chiefly if not entirely to the Spanish-American War and Mr. McKinley's appointments of army officers impartially from both sections of the Union. Those who speak thus have short memories. They forget that during Mr. Cleveland's first administration the 'bloody shirt' dropped completely out of sight and that during his second term his Venezuela message elicited the unanimous support of every member in both branches of Congress. Mr. McKinley acted nobly his part and the country will never forget his services, but Mr. Cleveland was the first great peace maker between the North and the South.

"Mr. Cleveland was an old-style Jeffersonian Democrat. He believed with the father of Democracy in 'a wise and frugal government, which shall restrain men from injuring one another, shall leave them otherwise free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouth of labor the bread it has earned.'

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SECOND WIFE OF SPECTACULAR REALTY MAN.

Mrs. Leonora Jackson McLaughlin,

protege of Mrs. Grover Cleveland and George Vanderbilt, against whose husband a petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday.

RICH AS EVER.

M'LAUGHLIN LAUGHS AT BANKRUPTCY PLEA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I'm as rich as ever I was; I am worth today, free and clear, in my own name, many times as much as I owe, and none of my creditors need worry," said Michael L. McLaughlin, Brooklyn's most spectacular real estate operator, today.

"I own all I ever did in Kings county, Erie county, and elsewhere, with the exception of a few shares of stock in the McLaughlin Real Estate Company, which I transferred to another person a few months ago."

There was consternation in Brooklyn business circles when it became known on Thursday that an involuntary petition in bankruptcy had been filed against Mr. McLaughlin by Joseph A. Finch, also a real estate man, for an alleged debt of $1500. McLaughlin has made more than a million dollars in commissions alone in the last eight years; his home, No. 42 Pierpont street, was one of the finest on the Heights, and his holdings in all kinds of real property were reported to be vast.

McLaughlin's matrimonial affairs have been given much publicity. He first married Miss Celia Benjamin, settled $180,000 on his wife, and established a fine home at Bedford and Linden avenues, Flatbush. He and his wife were appearing together in public, lived under the same roof, and sat down to the same dining table, even on the day when she filed her suit for divorce.

"We are as good friends as ever we were," the wife said in explanation, "but we no longer are husband and wife."

Mr. McLaughlin filed a general denial, but continued to go home and appear with his wife in public. Flatbush society simply could not understand such a proceeding. The couple were divorced in 1906, and in the following year McLaughlin married Miss Leonora Jackson, the Chicago girl who showed such remarkable talent a decade ago that Mrs. Grover Cleveland, George Vanderbilt and Ambassador Horace Porter defrayed the cost of her tuition on the violin by the best masters of Europe.

Mr. McLaughlin purchased the Herman Behr residence, No. 42 Pierpont street, for $70,000, and settled it on her. They have entertained considerably, and are popular in Brooklyn society.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another cold wave is traveling toward Chicago. Throughout the Northwest a terrific cold wave is spreading," said the weather man. "I expect the temperature Saturday morning will be about 10 deg. above zero. It may be a trifle colder than that." High northwest winds are expected. Today's maximum temperature was 35, and the minimum 21 deg. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	18	14
Bismarck	36	—6
Cairo	44	38
Cheyenne	44	24
Cincinnati	40	32
Cleveland	34	28
Concordia	34	24
Davenport	38	32
Denver	42	32
Des Moines	36	28
Detroit	34	30
Devil's Lake	4	—10
Dodge City	46	30
Dubuque	32	30
Duluth	18	6
Escanaba	34	22
Grand Rapids	34	30
Green Bay	36	24
Helena	42	22
Huron	14	—2
Indianapolis	38	32
Kansas City	36	32
Marquette	18	16
Memphis	56	46
Milwaukee	32	30
Omaha	28	22
St. Louis	38	32
St. Paul	12	12
Sault Ste. Marie	24	24
Springfield, Ill.,	36	32
Springfield, Mo.,	36	34
Wichita	36	30

STUDENTS IN NIGHTIES FLEE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SPRINGFIELD (Mo.) Dec. 4.—Two hundred students of the Springfield Business College fled in their night clothes early today, when the dormitory caught fire from spontaneous combustion in the coal bin. Edward Boydston, a one-legged student, dragged his trunk from the building and then went back after his crutches. No one was hurt.

STAMPS FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The Christmas Tuberculosis Stamp of Mercy is to invade Chicago. It will be a 1 cent stamp which cannot carry a letter, but will carry aid to consumptives of Chicago. The Chicago Tuberculosis Institute is to be the clearinghouse for the distribution of the stamps in Chicago and Illinois. The stamp was originated by the National Red Cross Society, but in each city the organizations distributing them are to get the benefit. Two hundred thousand of them are expected to reach Chicago. The proceeds of the sale of the stamp in this city will be used in fighting the "white plague" in Chicago.

FUNDS FOR REORGANIZATION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—A large part of the funds necessary to carry out the work of reorganization of the bankrupt firm of A. Booth & Co. has been obtained. To raise the remainder, a little more than $500,000, the stockholders' protective committee sent out another circular yet to stockholders, who so far have not agreed to the plan. The circular requests that stockholders agree to an assessment of $16 on each share of preferred and $3.50 on each share of common stock. If successful, this would give the reorganized company a working capital of $600,000. If all the money required has not been raised by December 12, it is said a syndicate which is now being formed will take care of the remainder.

TO CARE FOR IMMIGRANTS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—That Chicagoans should enter into a movement to relieve congestion by sending alient immigrants from the city to the country was urged by T. V. Powderly, chief of the United States Bureau of Immigration, in a noonday address before the members of the Hamilton Club yesterday. "Immigrants looking for work in Chicago could do well in the country," he said. "Chicagoans should help to find places for them away from the city. We are responsible for them until they are able to make a living for themselves. We must remove the idle from the cities. While they remain in the congested parts of the country they furnish a menace to industrial conditions."

WESTERNERS ENTERTAINED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—An impromptu reception was given Gov. George E. Chamberlain and Joseph Teal, chairman of the State Conservation Commission of Oregon, at the Union League Club last evening. The two westerners were on their way to the national capital, where they will attend the State Governors' council and the National Conservation Congress for the preservation of national resources. They were the guests of J. E. Defebaugh, editor of the American Lumberman, at dinner.

WEARS SKIN OF PLAYMATES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—"The daughter of the neighborhood." That is what they call six-year-old Annie Meyer, who lives at No. 651 Curtse street, and the proprietorship of the neighbors in Annie has been well earned, for Annie is carrying around on her own face, arms and body, patches of skin from all her playmates, and a number of grown persons. It was about two months ago that Annie ran out in the alley in her Sunday clothes and began to play around a burning mattress she found there. The flames ignited her dress and before her father could tear it from her body she was severely burned.

ROW OVER WOMAN TEACHER.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Miss Grace Reed, principal of the John Drake School, is looked upon by the school authorities as one of the ablest educators in the city, but she will lose her job if the Chicago Woman's Christian Temperance Union has its way. But she will not lose if it President Schneider of the Board of Education can prevent. In a speech last Saturday at a suffrage meeting, Miss Reed declared that a saloon-keeper of good character should receive as much consideration as the business man, banker or baker. The prohibition sections of a city, she added, are dead sections, being crippled in one of their legitimate arteries of business. These remarks aroused the wrath of the temperance women to such an extent that at a special meeting a resolution was adopted and a copy was sent to President Schneider of the Board of Education condemning Miss Reed's speech.

JAILED FOR INTEMPERANCE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Miss Elisabeth Duffey, who is connected with the Moody Church corps of slum workers, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman James Knapp and locked up at the Chicago-avenue station, charged with disorderly conduct. She was released on bonds furnished by Edwin A. Wooley of the Moody church. Miss Duffey for the last five years has been a nightly visitor to North Side saloons in her efforts for the regeneration of drunkards. She entered Tom Kerwin's saloon and exhorted the proprietor to give up his business and seek other paths. Kerwin said she became demonstrative and he called the patrol wagon.

WHO WILL WIN THE TICKETS?

Suggestions to Young Writers Who May Compete for the "Ben-Hur" Prizes Offered by "The Times."

NOW, boys and girls, send in your compositions or essays on "Ben-Hur." Send them in today. If you haven't written them yet, sit right down and do it now. That $2 seat at the theater is worth striving for; it will enable you to witness one of the most superb and uplifting spectacles of the day.

A young friend telephoned yesterday to inquire if it were necessary to write all of 150 words. No. You may make the composition shorter if you so desire. And if the composition runs a few words over 150, it will not be thrown out nor discriminated against. The committee will not be over-exacting. The idea is to encourage young writers.

The boys and girls are merely expected to set down their own ideas or opinions concerning the story of "Ben-Hur"—or, if they choose, to briefly sketch or skeletonize the tale. For example they may tell who Ben-Hur was, what country and age he lived in, what sufferings he endured, the relations of himself and family to the Roman government, that he was a galley slave and a chariot race winner, etc.—then what they think of his character.

If you want to get a good deal into a brief space, young friend, write your composition over and over again, boiling it down a little each time. The writers of the 200 best compositions will ge the 200 tickets.

The promised Christmas theater party will be given on the evening of December 14, when 200 boys and girls, pupils in Los Angeles schools, who write the 200 best essays or compositions on Lew Wallace's beautiful story, will attend the play of "Ben-Hur" at the Mason Operahouse, with chaparons—The Times purchasing the tickets.

The conditions of the contest are not hard to fulfill by any wide-awake boy or girl. They are these:

You must be a pupil of a Los Angeles school, public or private. You may be in any grade in any school, or of any age. Your essay or sketch must be short—about 150 words in length. Your name and address, and the name of your school, must appear on the first page of your manuscript. You must write the essay yourself, without assistance. The essays should be sent to Ben-Hur Contest Editor, The Times, Los Angeles.

The following well-known Los Angeles teachers will decide on the merits of the stories and essays submitted: Principal W. H. Housh of the Los Angeles High School; Miss Gertrude Henderson, head of department of English, Los Angeles High School; J. H. Francis, principal of Polytechnic High School; Miss Ethel McGee, acting head of English department, Polytechnic High School; E. J. Lickley, head of truant schools; Sister Aquinas, of the Franciscan Sisters' School; Miss Hope Traver of Huntington Hall.

The Times will print the names of the winners.

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WHAT'S DOIN

GRAFT PROSECUTION.

ASE AGAINST R RESTS; DEFENS

All the Evidence Against ant Has Been Presente Refuse to Disclose Whet They Have Witnesses.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT RE

N FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—With ll the testimony for the State efore the jury, the prosecution t its case late this afternoon in hird trial of Abraham Ruef, the r political boss of San Francisco, ed with having offered a bribe rmer Supervisor John J. Furey to for a trolley franchise for the d Railroads in 1906.

nsel for Ruef stated that it t take no time at all to put in se for the defense—it might take or it might take three weeks." declined to make known until ay morning, until which time the adjourned, whether the defense offer any testimony or submit se without placing witnesses the stand, as was done in the us trials. The case has been on for fourteen weeks, ten weeks of time was consumed in getting

alf-dozen witnesses were called e prosecution today, and the pro- es were marked by many caustic l tilts between Henry Ach, chief el for Ruef, and Hiram Johnson, the attorneys assisting the Dis- Attorney's office, in which each ded to the court to compel the to "sit down."

PAID RUEF BIG FEE.

t. Umbsen, a prominent real es- aler, who told of having en- Ruef for a fee of $20,000 to get chise from the Board of Super- for the Parkside Railway Com- Charles J. Haggerty, Ruef's office who said he "did a little of every- for his employer, recalled some incidents connected with the de- t in April, 1906, and told of a Thorwell Mullally and Tirey rd of the United Railroads to when the latter's office consisted kitchen and a bathroom; W. W. rson, an attorney; Dr. Joseph F. n, former Police Commissioner; Burns, an employe of the mint, aul Sinsheimer, a newspaper re- gave their testimony today. imer testified to an interview with Ruef the day after Ruef d guilty to the charge of extor- which the former political boss "that he would beat most of dictments returned against him, ought possibly that the prosecu- ight get him on one or two." At nclusion of his cross-examination nsel for Ruef, Asst. Dist.-Atty. O'Gara announced: "The prose- rests its case."

ness related in detail the sub- of his conference with the de- t. Ruef, he said, had been en- as an attorney to represent the ters in their application to the

MURPHY TRIAL BEGINS.

AGE LAWLOR A WITNESS.

IATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—A jury been secured yesterday in Murasky's court, in the case of Frank J. Murphy, accused mpting to bribe J. M. Kelly, a tive Ruef juror, to vote for ac- the actual trial began today. tion, in his opening statement, for ecution, outlined the facts of leged attempt to bribe Kelly, he said would be proven in ev- rticular.

efense reserved making a state- until the opening of its side of

prosecution then called the of two departments of the Su- Court, in an attempt to intro- evidence the indictment charg- ham Ruef with bribery. The for the defense objected to ision and attacked the indict- elf. A lengthy argument con- its admissibility ensued. effort to introduce in evidence tment of Ruef, Judge Lawlor as a witness, and identified of John J. Kelly, whom Blake of attempting to bribe, as a venire of 2400 talesmen. Coun- Mulcrevy and one of his dep- ves summoned for the same It was finally agreed that tment should be temporarily , but it might be made the of argument at some future

ase was then continued until onday.

NGER TO GRAPE MEN.

WERS HEAR WARNING.

ATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

AMENTO, Dec. 4.—"The mar- table scrapes" was one of ipal discussions before the Fruit Growers' convention subject being opened by V. Norton.

the table-grape growers of as well as the deciduous owers, are facing the problem -production of fruit unless a effort is made by the vine- to increase the scope of their and to reach more people in of California.

s at present are alarming to become more so. The rapput amounts to 4000 car- ten years it will be 16,000. ll require intelligent manipu-

Stephens of Sacramento also of the convention upon the growing and marketing of

Hecke of Yolo made an ad- on "Protection of Vineyards nsects."

R. Briggs, J. P. Dargets and alton were appointed a com- to attend a meeting in San Saturday to protest against railroad rates. The policy ntary service in regard to ervation of the water power ate was approved.

ution was passed urging a ement with Canada in order the abolition of duties on ned and dried fruits enter- country.

OAS INVESTIGATION.

IDE THEORY STANDS.

ATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Captain ives Kelly said tonight that ill of the belief that Henry t the powders containing the himself. The investigation olice today had developed ending to change his opinion.

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Alaska Miner Ma Workings on F Fairb

[BY DIRECT WIRE

TACOMA, Dec. patch.] Thomas St man of Fairbanks, rived, coming out trail, brings the re ery by Thomas Fo a gold stream nea largest mastodon t Alaska. Foley mine when he fou plans to exhume it in the Alaska exhi Yukon-Pacific Exp large that Foley's a ly encircle it at its

SUING FOR LIF ON MAN SH

[BY DIRECT WIRE

BELLINGHAM, Dispatch.] Suit was Mrs. Frank Eggiest the Maccabee Lodge the amount of a po that order by Fran husband, whom she last July. The lode her the money on t is invalid, since the by the act of the Eggleston killed her defense as her husb she shot him, was dr her children's bedroo tention of shooting h her out of their sight charge of murder, sh acquitted.

RIVAL LOVERS

Woman Who Married and on Death of H His Behe

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO

BELLINGHAM (W [Exclusive Dispatch.] ceived here today of St. Louis of Mrs. Neill Bellingham and Charle St. Louis, following made by the woman fo carrying out the behe husband, William O marriage is the culmin mance dating back ma time when William and denhoff were rivals fo their future wife.

Friends of the family only after considerable the woman finally chose that she always retaine tenderest feelings of a tion, while his attachme mained unchanged. Will cognizant of their inti but never expressed the ousy over it. When the died last spring he expre on his deathbed that his younger brother marry, follow out his desire th denhoff went to St. Louis bride of her brother-in-la sweetheart.

The couple will make th in Bellingham, the home Oppdenhoff.

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GRAFT PROSECUTION.

CASE AGAINST RUEF RESTS; DEFENSE NEXT.

All the Evidence Against the Defendant Has Been Presented—Counsel Refuse to Disclose Whether or Not They Have Witnesses.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—With all the testimony for the State before the jury, the prosecution closed its case late this afternoon in the third trial of Abraham Ruef, the former political boss of San Francisco, charged with having offered a bribe to former Supervisor John J. Furey to vote for a trolley franchise for the United Railroads in 1906.

Counsel for Ruef stated that it might take no time at all to put in a case for the defense—it might take a week or it might take three weeks." He declined to make known until Monday morning, until which time the court adjourned, whether the defense would offer any testimony or submit the case without placing witnesses on the stand, as was done in the previous trials. The case has been on trial for fourteen weeks, ten weeks of which time was consumed in getting a jury.

Half-a-dozen witnesses were called by the prosecution today, and the proceedings were marked by many caustic verbal tilts between Henry Ach, chief counsel for Ruef, and Hiram Johnson, one of the attorneys assisting the District Attorney's office, in which each appealed to the court to compel the other to "sit down."

PAID RUEF BIG FEE.

M. Umbsen, a prominent real estate dealer, who told of having engaged Ruef for a fee of $20,000 to get a franchise from the Board of Supervisors for the Parkside Railway Company, Charles J. Haggerty, Ruef's office boy, who said he "did a little of everything" for his employer, recalled some of the incidents connected with the defendant in April, 1906, and told of a visit of Theodwell Mullally and Tirey L. Ford of the United Railroads to Ruef, when the latter's office consisted of a kitchen and a bathroom; W. W. Sanderson, an attorney; Dr. Joseph F. Dinan, former Police Commissioner; Edward Burns, an employe of the mint, and Paul Sinsheimer, a newspaper reporter, gave their testimony today. Sanderson testified to an interview he had with Ruef the day after Ruef had pleaded guilty to the charge of extortion in which the former political boss declared "that he would beat most of the indictments returned against him, and thought possibly that the prosecution might get him on one or two." At the conclusion of his cross-examination by counsel for Ruef, Asst. Dist.-Atty. Heney O'Gara announced: "The prosecution rests its case."

Dr. Poheim, whose name in detail the substance of his conference with the defendant, Ruef, he said, had been employed as an attorney to represent the interests in the application to the Supervisors for a street railway franchise on Nineteenth avenue.

The defendant, he said, had demanded $50,000 for his services, but Umbsen had told Ruef the company could not pay so much, and a compromise was affected upon a fee of $30,000.

Ruef, according to the testimony, had said the Parkside people were going to make a great deal of money and he would have to have some of it. If he had been engaged at the outset, he was alleged to have said, he could have been secured for a fee of $10,000. Umbsen then related the subsequent conferences with Ruef and the payment of one-half of the $30,000 fee.

OWNED SUPERVISORS.

Dr. Poheim testified he had frequently conferred with Ruef at the public restaurants, and the subject of the Supervisors was sometimes discussed. Ruef said:

"I see they have been trying to get my Supervisors away from me. I would like to see any of them throw me down."

The witness testified Ruef had declared that such differences would some day disrupt the administration.

Upon cross-examination Dr. Poheim admitted, in reply to question, that he had since then quarreled with Ruef and that he felt very bitterly toward the defendant.

The cross-examination of C. A. Burns, who had previously testified to the probable size of rolls of currency, was then taken up. Burns was given a number of slips, smaller in size than an ordinary greenback, and was asked to place as many as possible in the safe deposit box rented by James L. Gallagher, which was placed in evidence. The witness demonstrated that a limited number of such bills would fill the box.

SANDERCON TESTIFIES.

W. W. Sanderson, an attorney, and for five years vice-president of the North Beach Improvement Club, testified that he was a member of the committee of forty appointed shortly after the great fire to examine and pass upon the Burnham plans for the rebuilding of San Francisco, and was present at a meeting of that body in May, 1906, which was attended by Abraham Ruef, Patrick Calhoun and Tirey L. Ford. The trolley franchise desired by the United Railroads was discussed at length. Sanderson said that the people of North Beach wanted car service, and submitted several plans for its reestablishment. Both Ruef and Calhoun told him that the cars would soon be running and that his help was not needed. All that was wanted was the cooperation of the people. This was about a week before the trolley franchise was granted by the Supervisors.

WIFE TOOK UP GARBAGE.

Drove Wagon for Nine Months During Husband's Spree.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That she drove a garbage wagon for nine months on a stretch because her husband got too drunk to work was decided by Judge Gantenbein today to be sufficient cause for divorce, in freeing Mrs. Marie Christ from Wilhelm Christ.

The woman testified that since marrying her husband in 1896, he had been on frequent sprees and at times there would be nothing in the house to eat.

To support their three children, the woman was obliged to drive the garbage wagon her husband was supposed to pilot, and she said she performed this work for nine months on a stretch. The woman was supported in this statement by witnesses.

BONUS FOR ELECTORS.

In Voting $1000 Salary to Legislators People of State Have Been Unwittingly Generous.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—In voting their approval of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16, increasing the pay of members of the Legislature to $1000 for a session, the people of California are said to have unknowingly given to the ten Republican Presidential electors of this State an unsolicited and unexpected present of $1000 cold cash.

Secretary Cooper of the Governor's office, while going through the political code, ran across a section which, although familiar with, he had not had occasion to recall for some time. The section is 1321, and reads:

"Electors, Presidential, shall receive the same pay and mileage as is allowed members of the Assembly."

The meaning of section 1321 is plain. It provides that electors shall be paid exactly what members of the Assembly receive. Amendment No. 16, adopted at the last election, provides that the compensation of legislators shall be $1000 for a legislative session.

LEAPS FROM AUTO.

Seattle Man in San Francisco Lands on Head and Has Fractured Skull.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Aaron Schulzinger, said to be a wealthy fur buyer from Seattle, was seriously, perhaps fatally, injured tonight by falling or jumping out of a rapidly moving automobile. Schulzinger arrived from Seattle several days ago, and according to his chauffeur, Fred Durner, had been in the habit of spending his evenings at Colma, a small suburb south of this city.

Durner said that upon returning with Schulzinger at 11 o'clock tonight the latter suddenly jumped from his seat at the side of the driver, landing on his head and shoulders. Durner quickly stopped his car, ran back, picked up the fur buyer, and took him to the Central Emergency Hospital, where it was said he had suffered a fracture of the skull and other serious injuries. Durner declared that Schulzinger had been drinking.

The Emergency Hospital reported at midnight that Schulzinger was resting comfortably and would recover.

BUNGALOW STOLEN.

BELONGED TO CITY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The bungalow owned by the city and located on the very summit of Twin Peaks, the hill which looks down on this city from the South, has been stolen. Not a brick or a stick of it remains on the site and its present whereabouts is a complete mystery to the police. The building was erected by the relief corporation following the great fire as an office for Architect D. H. Burnham, who was drawing plans for the beautification of the city. Burnham's work was finished and the building, which cost $2000 to erect, was turned over to the city and put in custody of the superintendent of the alms-house, which is but a few miles distant.

Yesterday the superintendent reported to the Supervisors that the bungalow had vanished and the police are still wondering where it went.

WILLCUTT TO RETIRE.

APPROACHING EVENT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Joseph J. Willcutt, for the last forty-one years an employé of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and during that time having held many offices, at present the secretary of the thirty subsidiary and leasing companies controlled by the railroad, will retire within a month from active service, as he is nearing his eightieth birthday. Willcutt's name is closely connected with the extensive cable-car system of the Market-street Railroad Company, which spread a network of rails over the city prior to the disaster of 1906. It was his plan which was followed in creating the system, and its development was carried out under his personal direction.

THANKSGIVING DINNER FATAL.

TOO MUCH TURKEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A hearty Thanksgiving dinner killed Freeman Austin of Molalla, Or., who died at the Dallas Sanatorium yesterday. Austin, who was 22 years old, was convalescing from an attack of typhoid fever, contracted while he was working at Wasco. When Thanksgiving came he felt well enough to eat a hearty dinner, and this caused a relapse.

ABANDON SEARCH FOR BIGGY.

SWEPT OUT TO SEA.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The search for the body of Chief Biggy, who disappeared from the police launch Patrol last Monday night, off Alcatraz Island, has virtually been abandoned, though a close watch will be kept up along the shores of the bay. The belief now is generally entertained that the body was swept out to sea by the tide.

EPOCH-MARKING.

READY TO LAUNCH PROMETHEUS TODAY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MARE ISLAND NAVY YARD, Dec. 4.—All preparations are complete for the launching tomorrow of the collier Prometheus, the largest ship ever built on the Pacific Coast. Shortly before the noon hour Miss Dolly Evans, the little daughter of Naval Constructor Evans, in the presence of the navy yard officials and hundreds of excursionists from the cities around the bay, will break a bottle of wine on the bow of the vessel as the big collier slides down the ways and takes the water.

Should the storm of today continue it may be found necessary to hold the exercises that are to follow the launching in the government buildings instead of from the launching platform as scheduled.

The Prometheus, whose big hull towers above the ways, was gaily decorated today with flags, pennants and streamers, preparatory to her initial dip in the waters of the channel tomorrow.

All business houses in Vallejo will close down from 10 o'clock in the morning until noon and all business in the government offices and the navy yard will be suspended for several hours in honor of the event, which marks a new epoch in the shipbuilding industry on the Pacific Coast. Preparations have been made at the yard to receive several thousand visitors who are expected from San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley and other bay cities.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Whaling Skipper Relieved.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—William Shorey, one of the best-known whaling skippers on the Coast, and for years the commander of the bark John and Winthrop, has been relieved of that position and his place will be taken by Capt. Josephs. No reason for the change has been given.

Million-Dollar Money Cargo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—A part of the cargo of the United States army transport Buford, which sails for Manila tomorrow, consists of 255 boxes shipped by the mint here, containing $1,300,000 in the new silver pesos for the Philippines and $9000 in pennies also of the new coinage. The money was taken aboard ship under an armed guard.

Vault Robber Paroled.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—John Winters, who robbed the Selby smelter vaults of gold bars valued at over $100,000, in 1901, has been paroled by the State Prison Board after serving seven years of a fifteen years' sentence. The parole went into effect on November 24, but the fact of its having been granted has just been made public.

Foreman Killed by Train.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—The dead body of Frank Wagner, foreman of the Southern Pacific switch yards, was found in the yards this morning terribly mangled. He had evidently been caught between a train and a pile of scrap iron placed too near the track.

Killed by Train in Fog.

OAKLAND, Dec. 4.—J. G. Stoddard, identified by means of a notebook found in his possession, was killed this morning by a local train of the Southern Pacific at First and Kirkham streets. The man died while being taken to the hospital on a switch engine. The man was caught on the tracks during a heavy fog which prevailed. The dead man was 55 years old, and employed in the Southern Pacific yards at the foot of Kirkham street.

Nevada Bank Closes.

TONOPAH (Nev.) Dec. 4.—The Round Mountain Banking Corporation of Round Mountain, a town in Nye county, sixty miles north of Tonopah, has closed its doors. Bad loans are given as the cause of suspension. It is announced the bank will reopen in thirty days to pay depositors, but will not resume business. The bank is capitalized at $25,000, and has deposits amounting to about $30,000. The extent of its liabilities is unknown.

Wealth for Insane Patient.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The Superior Court yesterday handed down a decision that gives Mrs. Mary Voorman, widow of the late Henry Voorman and for thirty years an inmate of the Stockton Insane Asylum, property from the estate valued at more than $500,000 and her children more than $1,000,000. The case has been in the courts for many years.

Enjoining Wells-Fargo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—At the petition of five of the largest dry goods firms in this city, Circuit Judge Van Fleet yesterday ordered the Wells Fargo Express Company to show cause why a temporary injunction, restraining the company from making collections at the advanced rates on large shipments between New York and Pacific Coast points, should not be granted. The new rates show an increase over the special rates heretofore effective of from a 12 per cent. advance on 500 pounds shipments to a 92 per cent. advance on 20,000-pound shipments.

LOCAL TRAVELERS.

Los Angeles People Registered at Hotels in Other Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at New York hotels: Empire, Mrs. T. R. Gabel; Imperial, F. Williams, N. C. Wenner; Murray Hill, W. R. Wainwright; Preston, Mrs. M. Mackenzie; Manhattan, E. T. Howe.

IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at Chicago hotels: Auditorium Annex, S. W. Clawson, Mrs. B. H. Burr; Grand Pacific, H. V. Carter; Great Northern, J. T. Gooch, C. A. Short; Palmer House, A. F. Wood, Bell F. Rankin. From Pasadena: Auditorium Annex, H. C. Barroll; Victoria, Miss Clara Seaborne.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at the Hotel St. Francis: E. B. Van Horn and wife, William Banning, J. R. Mason, George Ellis, W. H. O'Brien, A. E. Stevens.

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RECORD MAMMOTH TUSK.

Alaska Miner Makes Find in His Workings on Four-Mile, Near Fairbanks.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thomas Stainforth, a business man of Fairbanks, who has just arrived, coming out over the Valdez trail, brings the news of the discovery by Thomas Foley on Four Mile, a gold stream near Fairbanks, of the largest mastodon tusk ever found in Alaska. Foley was drifting on his mine when he found the tusk. He plans to exhume it and send it to be in the Alaska exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. It is so large that Foley's arms would scarcely encircle it at its base.

SUING FOR LIFE INSURANCE.

ON MAN SHE KILLED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELLINGHAM, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Suit was started today by Mrs. Frank Eggleston to recover from the Maccabee Lodge of this city $500, the amount of a policy taken out in that order by Frank Eggleston, her husband, whom she shot and killed last July. The lodge refused to pay her the money on the ground that it is invalid, since the death was caused by the act of the beneficiary. Mrs. Eggleston killed her husband in self-defense as her husband, at the time she shot him, was dragging her out of her children's bedroom with the intention of shooting her when he got her out of their sight. Arrested on a charge of murder, she was afterward acquitted.

RIVAL LOVERS BOTH WIN.

Woman Who Married One, Weds Second on Death of First, and at His Behest.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] News was received here today of the marriage in St. Louis of Mrs. Nellie Oppdenhoff of Bellingham and Charles Oppdenhoff of St. Louis, following a 2000-mile trip made by the woman for the purpose of carrying out the behest of her first husband, William Oppdenhoff. The marriage is the culmination of a romance dating back many years to the time when William and Charles Oppdenhoff were rivals for the hand of their future wife.

Friends of the family say that it was only after considerable cogitation that the woman finally chose William, and that she always retained for Charles tenderest feelings of a sisterly affection, while his attachment for her remained unchanged. William was fully cognizant of their mutual affection, but never expressed the slightest jealousy over it. When the first husband died last spring he expressed the wish on his deathbed that his wife and his younger brother marry, and it was to follow out his desire that Mrs. Oppdenhoff went to St. Louis to become the bride of her brother-in-law and former sweetheart.

The couple will make their residence in Bellingham, the home of William Oppdenhoff.

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POLITICAL.

CANNON WILL ENFORCE RULES.

Speaker Defends System of Congress.

Necessary to Accomplish Any Business.

Attacks of Demagogues not Effective.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Speaker Cannon will stand pat on the present rules of the House when it comes to organizing the Sixty-first Congress next March. This became evident in a frank interview which the veteran leader of the Lower House gave to the newspaper men this evening. Whether he can carry a majority of the House on this proposition is a question on which politicians differ. Some of them, particularly those who have been clamoring loudest for a fight to elect somebody else Speaker, insist that he cannot, and that when the rules are amended, he will find himself powerless and little more than a figurehead in the Speaker's chair.

On the other hand, those closest to him declare that the House itself will see the need of iron-clad rules to prevent a filibustering minority from playing ducks and drakes with the mighty critical situation, which the passage of the Payne tariff bill is sure to cause.

"The present rules of the House," said the Speaker, "are absolutely necessary to enable the House, acting through its majority, to carry out the will of the House. It is the only way a representative body can accomplish anything. The rules of the House and Committee on Rules are part of the machinery which are absolutely necessary. If the Speaker were compelled to recognize everybody who happened to catch his eye to ask a special order on any bills he might happen to think of, no business ever could be transacted. As it is, before reporting special rule on any bill, the Committee on Rules sounds both sides and finds out whether there is any genuine demand for bringing such a bill into the House for special action.

"There is a lot of misappreciension in the public mind as to the powers and duties of the Speaker and of this Committee on Rules. The Speaker, as well as this committee, merely represents the will of the majority of the House. If he did not, he wouldn't last a minute. There is a lot of silly talk going the rounds and some of it gets into magazines. Much of it is cheap demagogery. More of it is just useless talk.

"God hasn't put any more hours into the day or any more days into the year while this country has been growing from 5,000,000 of people to 90,000,000. But the legislative business of the country has grown and if the Congress is going to attend to it, it must have rules which will save its wasting lots of the people's time without accomplishing anything. The rules of the House must be so constructed that everything in this fine machine will work exactly. If the machine grows cumbersome it fails of its purpose.

"That is where the trouble would be if the responsibility were to be scattered, or if the Committee on Rules were to be enlarged.

"As far as these rules are concerned they were the rules of the House long before I was Speaker. They have worked with Democratic majorities as well as Republican. And they will continue to work despite all the oratory and demagoguery that may be hurled against them."

NO ONE LISTENING.

FORAKER WILL DEFEND RECORD.

PROMISED ATTACK ON PRESIDENT IGNORED.

Ohio Senator Regarded as Having Lost His Power to Injure Mr. Roosevelt, Brownsville Affair Being Dead—Charles P. Taft Announces Candidacy for Senatorship.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Foraker has arrived in Washington, but has little to say. It is understood that he is saving all his strength for a "great speech" in the Senate—the effort of his life, in answer to his critics and in self-defense. No one is disposed to deny Mr. Foraker the right to have his say, to defend himself to the best of his ability. That is the inalienable right of every man who is attacked. But only the most languid interest is taken in the announcement that he also intends making a sensational attack upon President Roosevelt. The general feeling is that Senator Foraker has lost the power to hurt Mr. Roosevelt, and that possibly he will do well to omit such effort from his programme.

Now that the campaign is over, interest in the negro troops appears to be at a low ebb. Nevertheless, the Brownsville affair will come up in the Senate two weeks hence as a special order, no vote having been reached on the pending bill at the last session. The Foraker bill authorized reënlistment of the soldiers who were discharged on account of the Brownsville riots. President Roosevelt is not opposed to this in principle, provided there be no infringement of the power of the Executive as the constitutional commander-in-chief of the army.

C. P. TAFT CANDIDATE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All doubt as to the intention of Charles P. Taft, brother of the President-elect, to fight for the seat in the United States Senate now held by Senator Foraker, was brushed away today by his declaration that he is a candidate for office, and expects to be elected.

He informed newspaper men who called upon him that he was an aspirant for the honor, and in a jocular manner added that he would be elected if he received votes enough. He also stated that he had received assurances of support from all parts of the State, and believed he would have votes to spare when the General Assembly meets next month to choose a Senator. He displayed hesitancy in discussing the matter, evidently regarding it as a delicate subject for him to talk about.

From Columbus, however, comes a statement by Arthur I. Vorys, who stated that, "while there are many Republicans in Ohio who are qualified to take up the responsibilities of the position, I think that Charles P. Taft should be and will be elected."

WARD WON'T GET THERE.

Hornets' Nest Stirred up Over the San Diego Collectorship.

BY HARRY C. CARR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Flint, who has been in New York on private business, will return to Washington tomorrow. Senator Perkins will also arrive tomorrow. They will have a conference at which a collector for the port of San Diego will be agreed upon. It will be neither M. L. Ward nor Russell C. Allen. The President is reported to have flatly refused to appoint Ward on anybody's recommendation. Allen rated high with the President at first, they having been classmates in Harvard.

In the course of the fierce contest that raged over the job, some of Allen's San Diego friends wrote a letter defaming Senator Flint. The President grabbed up the red-hot pen kept for the slaughter of nature fakers and such and wrote a reply, reputed to be the warmest thing ever seen within the city limits of San Diego. With the writing of this letter, the President is said to have given up the idea of appointing Allen. Senator Flint has another candidate to propose to Senator Perkins.

GOODRICH STEPS OUT.

Chairman of Republican State Committee in Indiana Announces Retirement.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An announcement by James P. Goodrich, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, that he is out of politics, and will retire from the head of the committee is regarded here as the first step in the reorganization of the party, which is to be undertaken within a short time by Senator Beveridge.

As Senator Beveridge will have the distribution of the patronage in eleven Congress districts that elected Democrats this fall, he is regarded as the logical leader of the party, and the retirement of Goodrich means that he is simply making way for Beveridge's choice be elected State chairman. It is understood that Mr. Fairbanks, while he will take his usual interest in politics, will not make a fight to retain control of the organization nor will he ask anything from the party in the near future.

PLAN INAUGURAL PARADE.

Cincinnati Taft Club to Have Good Place in Line, Also Yale '78 Class.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HOT SPRINGS (Va.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Robert R. Reynolds of Cincinnati saw Mr. Taft today. Mr. Reynolds was one of the chief promoters of the Citizens Taft Club of Cincinnati. The club, with 29,000 members, a large number of them Democrats, wishes to take part in the inauguration parade. Mr. Taft gave Mr. Reynolds a letter to Gen. Bell, who will have charge of the parade. In the letter Mr. Taft says that he is particularly anxious that the Yale '78 class and the Citizens Taft Club of Cincinnati be given good places. It is customary that the personal escort be cavalry. Mr. Taft in the same letter suggested the City Troop of Cleveland.

Gov. George Curry of New Mexico, called on Mr. Taft today in the interest of separate Statehood. He felt that there would be little opposition in Congress, except from Senator Beveridge. Mr. Taft called to the attention of the governor that the Republican platform advocates the admission of the Territory separately and said that he, too, favors it. He pointed out that he is in no way connected with the government at this time and can take no part in legislation before the present Congress, but he said that he would speak to Mr. Beveridge.

Snow fell heavily today, so there will be no more golf for the President-elect at Hot Springs.

POLITICAL BRIEFS.

Minority Organizing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Representative Clayton of Alabama, today announced that the Democratic members of the House of Representatives would hold a caucus tomorrow night for the purpose of forming its organization for the coming session of Congress. Mr. Clayton said Champ Clark of Missouri, would be selected leader of the minority, to succeed John Sharp Williams.

New National Party.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—The leaders in the movement for a new national party who began a conference here yesterday, today prepared a declaration of principles. Government ownership, direct election of all national and State officers, and similar tenets were incorporated in the platform.

Wyoming's Final Count.

CHEYENNE (Wyo.) Dec. 4.—The canvass of the vote in Wyoming for President, completed today, shows the following results: Taft, 20,846; Bryan, 14,918; Debs, 1715; Chafin, 84; Hisgen, 61. Taft's plurality, 5928.

Missouri Wants Cabinet Job.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Representative Bartholdt, of Missouri, today at the White House, declared that the people of Missouri want to be represented in President Taft's Cabinet, and are in favor of the appointment of Charles Nagle of St. Louis, as Secretary of the Interior.

Official Vote in South Dakota.

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) Dec. 4.—The official count on the election of South Dakota shows: Taft, 67,934; Bryan, 4266; Chafin, 4029; Hisgen, 88. The total vote on Governor was: Vessey, 62,989; Lee, 48,827; Knappen, 2536; Knapp, 2643. Total vote on Congressman: Martin, 62,582; Burke, 67,400; Dowdall, 33,758; Olsen, 35,622.

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MINING CONGRESS.

ARBITRATION IS THE THEME.

Third Party Unfavorable to Settlement.

E. H. Harriman Discusses the Industry.

Mines and Railroads Are Pathfinders.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 4.—Arbitration was the theme at tonight's session of the American Mining Congress.

President T. L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America made the opening address, taking the stand that arbitration in which a third party or outsider had to be utilized was unsatisfactory, and failed to bring about permanent settlement, but that arbitration in which employer and employe met and between themselves adjusted their difficulties had done more for the betterment of the mining industry than any other agency.

The congress today adopted a resolution offered by H. H. Greg of Missouri opposing the free entry of zinc ores into this country and urging a duty sufficiently high to protect American producers.

There was a general discussion on conservation, the present waste and the prevention of accidents. G. W. Traer, a Chicago delegate, said that it had been his observation that English-speaking miners more often disobeyed mine rules than did foreigners.

HARRIMAN SENDS LETTER.

Unable to be present in person, E. H. Harriman forwarded a letter to be read before the convention on transportation of mineral productions. Mr. Harriman says the mineral production of the United States during the past year had an aggregate value of more than two billions of dollars, and the crude and manufactured mineral products of the country give an aggregate tonnage of more than 3525,000,000. The letter continues:

"The products of the mines constitute the heaviest freight, and are charged the lowest rate. This is because they are non-perishable, and their quick delivery is not urged. Also as a rule, mine products are more concentrated.

"Many of the original investors in railroads lost a large part of their capital. The risk is greater than they thought. But while the investors lost, the country profited. The early transcontinental railroads and the lines that were built after them have transported coal and other heavy mineral products, for distances so great and at rates so low as to be inconsistent with economic management of the railroads but for the fact that at those distant points these crude materials had developed new industries, which, have in turn been the means of increasing traffic of a higher grade.

STRUGGLE TO KEEP PACE.

"In many parts of the country new territory is being opened and its development made possible by the construction of railways. But even while this pioneer work is still in progress in some parts of the country the struggle on the part of the railways during the past few years has been and is now to keep pace with the rapid growth and the rapidly increasing needs for larger, faster and in every way more ample transportation facilities.

"Both the consumer and the producer of mineral products are naturally interested in any and every factor which enters into the question of the cost of these materials. And it is natural for the consumer to think they cost too much; and he may divide the responsibility of the supposed excessive cost between the miner and the railroad.

"The producer, on the other hand, is apt to lay the excessive cost at the door of the railroad. And there is widely-circulated expressions that the railroads charge for transportation all that the traffic will bear. It is equally true that they do not charge what the tariff will not bear. I am not writing to make or deny any specific charges as to freight rates. I realize the fact, as do you, that inequalities may sometimes get into freight rates as well as into other forms of business; but there are being eliminated as fast as the situation in each case is realized.

"The miner and the railroad have been the two greatest advance agencies in opening up the country.

"Let me call your attention also to the fact that as the country is developing and as the railroads are developing, freight rates have been diminishing.

PEOPLE FAIR-MINDED.

"The people of this country desire to be fair; and they desire to see all interests treated fairly. The impression exists that the railroads are owned by a few rich men, and it is contended that because these men are rich they can stand a restriction to a small return on their investment. But the fact is that the railroads are not owned by a few rich men.

"The opinion that those who invest their means in a railroad should not be permitted to earn more than a fair rate of interest upon the cash value of this property and that 4 per cent. is a 'fair rate' of interest and hence the maximum permissible interest on such investments, is inconsistent with the higher rates of interest from other kinds of investment. In 1900 the farmers of this country received the return of 9 per cent. on the values of their farms in that year; the manufacturer enjoyed in the same year the net return of 19.4 per cent., while the average net return upon railroad investments was scarcely 4 per cent.

"Let us not forget that we are just beginning to realize the possibilities in this country's growth, and the transportation facilities should be such as to aid rather than retard this development. There are too many factors of uncertainty to permit our dealing on the specific prophesies, but the best statisticians of the country give the United States twenty years hence (1927) a population of 114,000,000 people, and a yearly coal production at the time, to be hauled by the railroads, of about 1,500,000 tons.

SUPERSTITIOUS HAYTIANS.

GEN. SIMON ENTERS CITY GATES TODAY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PORT AU PRINCE, Dec. 4.—Gen. Simon, with his army, is at the gates of Port au Prince, awaiting until tomorrow to enter the capital triumphantly at the head of his 6000 men.

Had it not been that today was Friday, a day that to superstitious Haytians is one of ill-omen, the thirty-five miles separating them from the capital would have proved no obstacle, and tonight the victorious revolutionists would have been within the city. The delegation sent out from Port au Prince yesterday met Gen. Simon today at the cross roads, where recently the government troops were entrenched, where he is lodged at the villa Monrepas, a fine house built by ex-President Hyppolite.

The general assured the delegates that his men were well disciplined and would make a successful entry into Port au Prince.

Among the lower classes Gen. Simon is very popular. The better classes are more reserved in their opinion and would have preferred a man more refined for the Presidency. They are resigned, however, to accept Gen. Simon.

Gen. Leconte, former Minister of the Interior, will embark at St. Thomas, D. W. I., on a French mail steamer tomorrow and proceed to Cape Haytien where he will land Sunday. Gen. Firmin is on board the steamer Virginia, bound from St. Thomas for Port au Prince, by way of Kingston. No news has been received here concerning the movements of Gen. Fouchard.

Gen. Jules Coicou, military chief of Port au Prince, today took refuge in a seminary. Threatening groups stood in front of the building for a while but soon were dispersed.

The city of Port au Prince is tranquil and from the country districts have come no reports of disorder.

WRECKAGE TELLS TALE.

GALE SINKS STEAMER AND CREW IS LOST.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ST. JOHNS (N. F.) Dec. 4.—Wreckage which has come ashore at Cape Race leaves little room for doubt that the sturdy little steamer Soo City, which for twenty years plied as an excursion vessel on the Great Lakes, went down with her crew in a gale that lashed the Newfoundland coast two days this week.

The steamer was in command of Capt. John G. Dillon of Brooklyn, formerly commander of the United States government transport Missouri. The exact number of the crew is in doubt. It is known, however, that no less than eighteen men were on board, and it has been reported that the crew was increased recently to twenty-eight men.

The Soo City was sold recently by the Indiana Transportation Company to Felix Jackson of Veiasco, Tex., and was being taken to New Orleans, where it had been planned to put her into service between that city and Texas ports. She carried no passengers. She was first to have been overhauled in New York, and for that purpose had been consigned to Agent T. H. Franklin of that city.

The Soo City sailed from Michigan City on November 1, and reached Ogdensburg, N. Y., November 11. At that port she took on coal and added four men to her crew. Up to that time the steamer was in charge of Capt. F. V. Dority of Milwaukee, but at Ogdensburg the command was turned over to Capt. Dillon. She was last reported at Quebec Nov. 14. A week later, when nothing had been heard from her, much anxiety was felt, and on Monday last the vessel was listed by the Maritime Exchange among the missing. The steamer's first mate was John Casey of Chicago, and the other known members of the crew of the vessel follow:

Second mate, Angus McIntyre, Chicago; first engineer, Charles Warwick, Michigan City, Ind.; second engineer, N. J. Duncan, Chicago; purser, James Anderson, Montague, Mich.; oilers, Frank Kelly, Alpena, Mich.; and George Brown, Chicago; firemen, Frank Schwimm, Michigan City, and Samuel Olebiky, Chicago; coal passers, E. L. Weaver, Dowagiac, Mich., and a man, name unknown; chef, Max Sanders, Chicago; second cook, Charles Warner, Chicago.

Today a deck cabin and fittings and sixteen life preservers came ashore. These all bore the name Soo City or other marks identifying them as belonging to the lake steamer. During the day life buoys, deck boards and other gear unquestionably belonging to the steamer were washed ashore.

The Soo City was of 448 tons net, and was built at West Bay City, Mich., in 1888. She was valued at $35,000 and hailed from Chicago.

From the first she was used as an excursion steamer on Lakes Huron and Michigan.

EXPEDITING ACT HOLDS.

Attorney-General's Request Is Sustained in Case of New Haven Railroad.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—The certificate of Atty.-Gen. Bonaparte, requesting that the government's case to compel the New Haven Railroad Company to relinquish its holdings of stock of the Boston & Maine Railroad, be expedited, was granted today by the three judges of the United States Circuit Court, and the contention of the attorneys for the railroad that the expediting act is unconstitutional was overruled.

The objections of the respondents in the case were heard on November 17 by Judges Colt, Putnam and Lowell, the Attorney-General being represented by his assistants, Wade Ellis of Ohio and Dist.-Atty. French, while Col. J. H. Benton appeared for the New Haven road.

Neither in the petition nor at the hearing were the merits of the case referred to, but as counsel for the New Haven company intimated that this phase of the suit would be fought through the court of last resort, it was expected that an appeal would be taken on the question involved.

THE HOTEL CLERK finds more "divine rights" in this country than in the European monarchies. Read what he says in next Sunday's Times Magazine.

RAILWAY RECORD.

CONFLICT IN FREIGHT RULES.

Affects California Fruit Shipments.

Trunk Line Roads Making Fight.

Route Rights Are Again in Question.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Trunk Line Freight Association and transcontinental roads have got into conflict over the exactions to be required of fruit shippers in California. It has been customary for these shippers to consign fruit to themselves, their own order or their agents at eastern points, and when the fruit was sold, to deliver it to the purchaser without the presentation of the original bill of lading. Many shipments have been diverted to suit the convenience of the purchasers, and it is not always possible to have the bill of lading at the point where final disposition of the shipment is made.

The trunk line roads have raised objections to this way of doing business. They have asked the transcontinental roads to issue notice that the original bill of lading must be presented before delivery may be made. This the transcontinental roads thus far have refused to do. They insist that the old method of procedure should be continued in effect.

Any change of the kind suggested, they say, would inevitably result in a curtailment of the shipments of citrus fruit from California, and they are anxious to increase rather than diminish such shipments and facilitate their delivery at eastern points.

Commercial organizations of Chicago, St. Louis and other Middle-Western centers are alarmed over the discovery of a clause in the westbound tariff schedules just filed by transcontinental lines, which gives the roads the right to route freight shipments beyond their own roads. This is said to be in conflict with a ruling of the Interstate Commission, which vests this right in the shipper. This rule is said to be based upon the decision of the courts in cases wherein the California fruit shippers contested the right of railroads to route their shipments. This decision was not satisfactory either to the shippers or the railroads. Since then the question has been discussed continually.

Harriman Is Elected.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—E. H. Harriman was elected president of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company at a meeting of the directors held here yesterday. The company owns the line from here to El Paso, Tex., and it is controlled by the Southern Pacific Company, the great holding and operating company of which Harriman is already the head.

Plead Guilty of Rebating.

RICHMOND (Va.) Dec. 4.—By agreement of counsel, the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, and W. R. Johnson & Co., pleaded guilty today to rebating before Judge Waddill. The railroad was fined $8000 and Johnson & Co., $4500.

MRS. LONGWORTH REMEMBERED.

Empress Dowager of China Sent Jeweled Bracelets to President's Daughter.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, daughter of the President, has been presented with a beautiful pair of jeweled bracelets, gifts of the late Empress Dowager of China, to whom she paid a visit some years ago.

The presentation was made by Tong Shao Yi, the special ambassador, who, with Prince Tsai Fu and two secretaries, called by appointment at the Longworth home.

There were also some presents for Mrs. Roosevelt, while to the President are given several hundred volumes of Chinese literature printed from the Chinese language and handsomely bound.

Plans for a monster board walk were presented to the New York Board of Estimates yesterday by promoters of a new Coney Island scheme. The specifications call for a walk 9500 feet long, nearly two miles, and sixty feet wide. The cost is estimated to be about $700,000. If built it will project over the Atlantic Ocean from 150 to 200 feet.

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LIFE'S SEAMY SIDE.

TATE RESTS CAS[illegible] RUSTIN MURDER

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REP[illegible]

MAHA, Dec. 4.—Many sensational situations in the trial of Charles E. Davis, the capitalist, who [illegible] rged with the murder of Dr. Fred[illegible] k T. Rustin, rewarded the immense [illegible]wd which packed Judge Sears's [illegible]inal court today.

[illegible]hile interest centered in the evi[illegible]ce given by Mrs. Abbie Rice, and [illegible]eading of that given by Davis at [illegible] Coroner's inquest, attention all suf[illegible]nt was attracted to the testimony [illegible]red by numerous other witnesses, [illegible]h of it of a corroborative nature. [illegible]rs. Rice took up most of the fore[illegible] with her story of how Rustin [illegible]ber of the plot to have Davis kill [illegible] under promise that the physician [illegible]d furnish Davis with a deadly [illegible] with which to take his own life. [illegible]ite numerous and vigorous ob[illegible]ns by Attorney Gurley, the court [illegible]ained Mrs. Rice to recite her story, [illegible]ch was done during a quiet spell [illegible] the courtroom, which made her [illegible] plainly heard all over the big [illegible].

STATE RESTS.

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Afternoon Lunch Today 5c

A cup of coffee and a sandwich all for 5c—a feature in the restaurant for today, from 2 to 4 p.m. We make this offer to introduce our 25c coffee and get you acquainted with our home-like restaurant. Fourth floor.

DON'T WORRY — WATCH US GROW

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Broadway Department Store

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Toy and Doll Opening Today

Bring the children along. Santa Claus will be on hand, 9 to 11 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m., with a gift for every child. Particulars in another ad., this paper.

Ready For A Whirlwind Finish

Tonight We Will Close This, The Greatest of All Bargain Events

Smoke and Water Damage Sale

Tonight the greatest sacrifice sale of merchandise ever held in any city will come to a close. The climax will be marked by reckless pricing, to dispose of all Smoke and Water Damaged Goods before the store closes at 6 o'clock. The bargain tables on every floor will be piled high with Smoke and Water Damaged merchandise. All you have to do is to watch for the signs—they tell the bargain story.

Crowds of the past week have been a magnificent indorsement of our method of conducting this most unusual sale. There will be greater crowds today, so be here early and get all the advantage from first choosing.

Below we attempt to give a synopsis of the price story, but it is a feeble attempt. Tonight scores of men will be working, bringing forward damaged goods that we have not yet examined and appraised. Lay everything else aside and come today to what is bound to prove the greatest Bargain Carnival in many a year.

A Thrilling Bargain Programme for the Final Day

All Our Pattern Hats Sacrificed

Values Up to $35.00 For the Finish Today

$6.95

An almost unbelievable price statement, but true nevertheless. Why, the ostrich feathers, the pompons, the novelty flowers and ornaments are worth the price we ask for the hat complete. Think of paying only $6.95 for the season's cleverest creations, worth up to $35 on the Broadway low-pricing basis.

There'll be a big crowd for these, so take our advice and come early. Find them on the Second Floor.

Boys' $1.50 Pants Knicker Style..... 50c

All wool worsteds, blue serges and cassimeres; neat patterns in gray and brown. Way below half for the final day, today. Second Floor.

Boys' $1 Shirts All Sizes 35c

Laundered shirts; our regular $1.00 grade. Buy all you want at 35c each, today. Second Floor. Don't miss these.

Sleeping Garments For the Children .. 45c

Pajamas or night gowns, made of fine quality heavy flannelette; pink and blue and white stripe. Every garment worth 75c. Today for 45c. Second Floor.

50c Undermuslins Slightly Smoke Damaged 25c

Corset covers, drawers, chemise and slips; a great assortment of styles; half price for the final day. Second Floor.

50c China Silk 25c

Just half price for 27-inch china silk, a standard 50c quality at 25c. Remember, it is 27 inches wide, and you can choose from black, white, and all the popular colors.

Writing Paper Big Bunches . . . 5c

Find these in the main aisle, great big generous bunches, at 5c.

Playing Cards The Bicycle 5c

Not very many, so come early. Find these in the Stationery Department.

Men's 50c Golf Shirts 25c

A clean-up of all the golf shirts that sold at 50c. Splendid designs in black and white; good dependable garments—and think of paying only 25c!

Wax Paper By the Roll 1c

Don't miss these in the Stationery Department. 1c for a full roll of wax paper.

Table Damask Prices Further Reduced

Too many small lots to quote prices, but everything must go today.

Domestics and Wash Goods 2c yd.

A whirlwind finish, including outing flannel, canton flannel, calico, gingham, muslin and cambric. 2c yard today—a ridiculous price, but they must go.

500 Women's Tailored Suits

For the Final Day

$19.50 to $32.50 Lines $14.95

A sacrifice of a magnificent collection. Fine all-wool tailored suits, the season's most popular models in broadcloths, cheviots, diagonals and fancy worsteds; the styles are the very latest, of course. They arrived in the store just before the fire. The workmanship is of the finest order. They are lined with guaranteed taffeta, sateen and yarn dyed fancy silks. They are trimmed with the new braids, Skinner's satin, etc. The coats measure 32 to 42 inches in length, and the skirts are gored and pleated. $14.95 is the final day price, while they last. Second Floor.

LIFE'S SEAMY SIDE.

STATE RESTS CASE IN RUSTIN MURDER TRIAL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MARA, Dec. 4.—Many sensational situations in the trial of Charles B. Davis, the capitalist, who is charged with the murder of Dr. Fredrick T. Rustin, rewarded the immense crowd which packed Judge Sears's criminal court today.

While interest centered in the evidence given by Mrs. Abbie Rice, and the reading of that given by Davis at the Coroner's inquest, attention all sufficient was attracted to the testimony given by numerous other witnesses, each of it of a corroborative nature.

Mrs. Rice took up most of the forenoon with her story of how Rustin told her of the plot to have Davis kill him under promise that the physician would furnish Davis with a deadly drug with which to take his own life. The numerous and vigorous objections by Attorney Gurley, the court and Mrs. Rice to recite her story, which was done during a quiet spell in the courtroom, which made her testimony heard all over the big room.

STATE RESTS.

The state placed a number of witnesses on the stand during the afternoon to corroborate the testimony of Mrs. Rice, and to fix the time of Dr. Rustin's movements and those of Davis during the evening preceding the death of the former. The exhibits offered in evidence formed another interesting portion of the day's proceedings, after which the State rested.

The defense quickly began the introduction of witnesses to impeach those of the State who had testified as to seeing Rustin and Davis were seen together, and were employed on that fatal evening adjournment was taken.

Judge Sears announced that the usual Saturday afternoon recess would be taken tomorrow.

In her testimony, Mrs. Rice told of Davis's calling up a drug store and asking for cyanide on the afternoon before the death. She told of the visit of Davis to the doctor's office during the evening. She told of her visit to the doctor's office on the night during which Davis came. Meantime, the witness showed her a bottle of poison which he said he was preparing for a dog, who, in exchange for it, was to kill Dr. Rustin.

INSISTED HE MUST DIE.

During Davis's second visit to the office, but while he was temporarily absent from the room, witness said she tried to dissuade Dr. Rustin from taking it, but he declared that it must be done that night.

She said Dr. Rustin explained to her the plan of sending Davis to the vicinity of his home. She left the office at 9 o'clock that night, going to Broadway & Dillon's drug store, and later met Davis on Farnum, near Sixteenth street, waiting for Dr. Rustin. She saw the latter approach, accompanied by Davis, who boarded a west-bound car, after which Dr. Rustin joined her, and they walked to Fortieth and Farnum streets. On the way Dr. Rustin told her his plans were all made.

Arriving at Fortieth and Farnum, she said she saw Davis standing on the sidewalk. Dr. Rustin here left her for his home, which was near, and she shortly afterward took a car for her boarding-house. Before leaving her, Dr. Rustin told her to wait a little while, and if she found that Davis would follow he would return to her. She did as directed, taking the third car that came along. She went to Clara Gleason's place at Twelfth and Douglas streets, where she lived, and telephoned twice to Dr. Rustin's home, and was told that he was not at home. She arrived at the Gleason home about twenty minutes after midnight.

After 5 o'clock next morning she called the Rustin home again, but did not learn of the shooting until she read of it in the newspapers later.

Here the witness was turned over to the defense, and the cross-examination began.

DAVIS MENTAL WRECK.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BELLINGHAM (Wash.) Dec. 4.—Charles E. Davis, on trial in Omaha for the murder of Dr. Rustin, was a pioneer business man and land speculator of Bellingham, and in the boom days of 1890, was rated as a millionaire, owning large tracts of land in the then city of Fair Haven, now South Bellingham. He built extensively and owned several of the best business blocks in that portion of the city.

In the panic of 1893 Davis went broke financially, physically and mentally. He decided that he would walk to Omaha, and had traveled several miles southward, barefooted, when overtaken by friends and put under restraint. He remained here for a year, crazed over his financial losses, but harmless, and left the city a physical and mental wreck.

His brother, Frederick Davis, now vice-president of the First National Bank, of Omaha, came to the Coast to straighten out his brother's tangled affairs, but all he could save was the Davis block, at Fifteenth street and Harris avenue, which is still owned by the alleged murderer.

MURDERED AND ROBBED.

CALIFORNIAN IN PORTLAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That Henry Gushaw, a wholesale fish dealer of Fortuna, Cal., was robbed of $300 or $400 in gold and murdered on Portland streets was the positive conclusion reached by City Physician Ziegler after a post-mortem examination tonight. Mr. Gushaw died at a local hospital last night, having been picked up unconscious at Second and Flanders streets several days ago and not having regained consciousness.

At first it was thought Gushaw had been drinking and was injured by a fall to the pavement. It developed, however, that there is a contusion exactly at the top of the head and a clot of blood on the brain, showing unmistakably, Dr. Ziegler says, that Gushaw was struck by a heavy, blunt instrument. There is no evidence that he had been drinking and it is known that he had placed large orders for fish since reaching this city.

Coroner Norden has been informed by a woman relative of Gushaw's that he had several hundred dollars in his possession, although less than $2 was in his pockets when found on the street.

GUN BATTLE IN SALOON.

GOLDFIELD BANDITS ROUTED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

GOLDFIELD, Dec. 4.—A battle took place early this morning in the bar and gambling-room of the Hotel Casey between two masked hold-up men and William Floyd, dealer of the roulette game. Floyd, a bartender, and a porter, were in the room when the highwaymen entered, one carrying two automatic revolvers, and the other a sawed-off shotgun. The men ordered all hands up, but Floyd drew his revolver and began shooting, dodging behind an ice box and shooting left-handed. The walls and doors were riddled with bullets and buckshot. It is thought one of the bandits was hit but both escaped. Under Sheriff Bart Knight has arrested two men who are believed to have been implicated in the hold-up.

MURDER CHARGE ADDED.

DOUBT MRS. READ'S ILLNESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Allen F. Read, who attempted to extort $100,000 from Mrs. Phipps by dynamite, will have to answer a third criminal charge, that of assault with intent to murder Detective J. R. McDonald, who captured Mrs. Read as she hurled the dynamite. The new charge was filed today. Tomorrow she is due to appear in court to answer the charges of assault with intent to rob Mrs. Phipps. Her physician declares she is too ill to appear, but this is doubted, and in order to ascertain if it is planned, if she does not appear in the morning, to place her formally under arrest again, thus discovering if she is able to sit up to sign her bond.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Tries to Die After Fight.

MODESTO, Dec. 4.—Following an altercation over the possession of some land in which, it is said, he attempted to injure or kill George Fox, John Feltmer, a farmer living near Turlock, attempted to commit suicide today by slashing his wrists, but will probably recover.

Prosperity Is Here—Buy Now.

200 Pianos must be sold between now and Christmas. Pay a deposit and get receipt for double the amount paid up to 200. BARTLETT MUSIC CO., "The big exchange Piano House," 231-235-237 South Broadway, opposite City Hall.

THE HOTEL CLERK finds more "divine rights" in this country than in the European monarchies. Read what he says in next Sunday's Times Magazine.

THE MILTON TERCENTENARY is discussed in The Times Magazine for next Sunday.

PRIZE COURT CONFERENCE.

OFFER INTERNATIONAL LAWS FOR NAVAL WAR.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The conference of the powers called by Great Britain for the framing of a code of laws for naval warfare and for the formation of the International Prize Court recommended by The Hague Congress, was opened at the Foreign Office today.

With an interval for the Christmas holidays, it is expected the conference will continue until about February 1.

At the request of the British government the powers which accepted invitations to take part in the conference have forwarded a list of subjects which they consider should be discussed.

The United States, France, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Austra-Hungary, Russia, Spain, Holland and Japan will be represented. The American delegates are Rear-Admiral Charles H. Stockton and Prof. George Grafton Wilson of Brown University.

Great Britain will be represented by the Earl of Desart and Capt. Charles L. Oxley, director of naval intelligence, and secretary of the Committee of Imperial Defense.

An address of welcome was delivered by Foreign Secretary Sir Edward Grey.

At the suggestion of Germany, the powers have submitted their views on various points. The United States, Great Britain and Japan are agreed, in principle at least, on the most important proposals, and they may be expected to work in accord with the probable support of France. There are wide differences of opinion between these powers and the other six countries represented.

RIGHT TO SEARCH SHIPS.

Great Britain stands alone in supporting the rights of a belligerent to search neutral merchantmen proceeding to an enemy's port under the escort of a warship flying the same flag. She claims the right of search under all circumstances, while the other powers contend that the guarantee of a neutral power should be sufficient to protect its vessels from molestation.

It is probable, however, that Great Britain will concede this in return for some point she considers more essential.

Great Britain is desirous of abolishing contraband entirely; America and Japan do not go so far, but they would agree if only munitions of war should be declared contraband.

The continental powers will urge the continuation of the present system, under which the belligerents declare what is contraband.

Great Britain, Japan and America agree on the method of blockading, contending for the right to seize blockade runners at any time or place. This is opposed to the continental view that only warships actually engaged in blockading have the right to seize vessels.

These same three powers oppose the continental contention that a belligerent has a right to destroy seized vessels before trials, as was done, for instance, by Russia with British merchantmen during the late war.

The conference will differ on the responsibility of a neutral power for a ship leaving one of its ports as a merchantman and afterwards being transformed into a man-of-war, as in the case of the Alabama. The United States naturally supports the view that the neutral power is responsible very strongly and she finds support not only from France and Japan, but also from England. The other powers represented take the opposite view.

COALING IN NEUTRAL PORTS.

The right of belligerent ships to coal in neutral ports also has divided the conference into two factions. America, England, Japan and France contend a ship should make but one visit to a neutral port and be given only sufficient coal to carry her to a home port; the other powers, however, hold that a ship should be allowed to visit a neutral port and fill up with coal as often as she can.

A number of other questions, largely technical, will be considered.

Today's session was brief. The Foreign Secretary, in his address, thanked the various governments represented for having accepted the invitation to the conference. He declared that Great Britain was actuated by the single object of assuring the success of the prize court convention drawn up at The Hague.

"This convention," he said, "if firmly established, will remove many difficulties which hitherto have been potential causes of disputes between the nations."

The plenipotentiaries will meet again tomorrow to discuss methods of procedure. The full conference will have its first meeting December 12.

WESTERNERS SHOW SPEED.

Couple Alight from Train in St. Louis and Drive to City Hall for License.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two westerners yesterday surprised staid old St. Louis by the speed with which they were married. At 1:31 o'clock Miss Violet Blackburn of Los Angeles, Cal., got off a train. With her was Charles B. Higginson of Goldfield, Nev. They met a cab in front of the Union Station and, after a few whispered words with the cabby, Arthur McFall, he drove in great haste to the City Hall. When they alighted at the door of the hall they ran to the office of the marriage license clerk and in a few minutes they reappeared at the door, this time with the precious document in their hands.

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SNOW IN OHIO.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—A furious snowstorm which set in early today throughout northern Ohio, still continues, the ground being already covered to the depth of several inches. The snow is very heavy and wet and is causing serious delay to telegraphic service, and some delay to train service.

Keep Warm

These chilly mornings makes one look up the question of heating their home. Are you prepared?

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THE LATEST NEWS OF SPORTS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.

BLOOD FLOWS.

ROOF TUMBLES IN ON M'COY.

Wolgast Blows Out Circus Kid's Candle.

Stows Away a Good Scrapper in Second Round.

Redmond and Corbett Go Until Police Interfere.

Wolgast knocked out Young Kid McCoy, second round.

Frank Mantell beat Jack O'Keefe, ten rounds.

Jack Redmond beat Fred Corbett, five rounds.

"Hobo" Dougherty beat Togo Jap, six rounds.

If Kid Wolgast fights Abe Attell as hard next Friday night as he did Young Kid McCoy last night at McCarey's pavilion, there may be a new featherweight champion, for Wolgast has a fearful punch, and an ability to take a beating, and Attell has neither of these attributes of a fighter.

It was announced before the main event last night between Wolgast and McCoy that Attell would box the winner next Friday night, and with this incentive before them, Wolgast and McCoy put up a hurricane scrap for almost two rounds, and were at it savagely when Wolgast worked a left shift on McCoy's jaw and knocked him down and out.

One or two of the excited sports present thought that McCoy "quit," but he gave no evidence that he desired to get out of the contest that way, for he showed himself a boy of more than ordinary class, and one that will beat a big bunch of aspiring pugs in this end of the country. It is said that last year he was the main attraction of a circus sideshow, and that he met every scrapper that came along.

Last night McCoy ran against one that was long overdue to arrive at McCoy's station, and the latter trimmed the circus kid in short order. While the lacing was being administered the fight bugs saw a savage scrap that was good enough for any one to look at, and the boys were going at such a race that the quick ending did not surprise the spectators.

POT STIRRING.

The first round was the best kind of paddock information that there would be something stirring, for without any kissing, Wolgast dashed into the center of the ring and slammed at McCoy with right and left swings, both landing on the face. McCoy came back like a flash, and rushed Wolgast to the ropes, and in the mix-up skinned the latter's nose. They broke from the clinch into the center of the ring, and McCoy slashed in again. He jumped at Wolgast, and clinching him, rushed the shorter boy at race-horse speed backward across the ring. When they came to the ropes there were no brakes on and both tumbled out of the ring on their heads, Wolgast backwards and McCoy on top of him. Ringside spectators held them, and prevented them from falling to the floor, and within a few seconds after they got back into the ring the bell rang. Wolgast went to his corner with a stream of blood trickling down the bridge of his nose, and laughing and swearing at McCoy.

The second round started off with a bang and both slugged savagely as they went to the ropes in a clinch. When they got into the center of the ring Wolgast forced McCoy toward a neutral corner. As McCoy backed away Wolgast swung awkwardly with his right, and then like a flash changed into a left shift, landing flush on McCoy's jaw and knocking him backward to the floor, where he lay on his back until counted out. The fight lasted about six minutes, but during that time the excited bugs got all they could ask for in the way of fierceness.

McCoy is a very good boy, but he was against too much class last night. He is lightning fast and can uppercut, jab, hook, swing, punch and lead with wonderful rapidity, but he could not get inside of Wolgast's peculiar face and stomach guard. He rapped Ad some hot swats, but the little fellow was right there for more and never backed up once. He knew he had the big boy on the run and when the chance came simply went in and copped the bacon.

CORBETT TOO LIGHT.

The semi-final of ten rounds between Jack Redmond and Fred Corbett was a hummer while it lasted, but Corbett was so bloody and had so much the worst of it that near the end of the fifth round Police Capt. Broadhead stopped the fight. The bugs far back from the ring did not know this and hooted and booed, thinking that Corbett had quit. Redmond, or Hoppe as his right name is, is a real fighter of the Ketchel style and he gave Corbett an awful beating. Red never loses a chance and even in the clinches he is continually pummelling his man.

In the first round Jack tore into Corbett like a mad bull and coming out of a clinch caught him with a left hook on the jaw that sent him to the floor. The bugs looked for a knockout, but Corbett took his medicine bravely and stalled through the round. The second round was much the same as the first, but in the third Corbett got in several hard smashes to Redmond's face. In the fourth Corbett's face was red with blood and he plainly had no chance and went down again from a right swing.

In the fifth, when Redmond was hammering Corbett in a dozen places at once, seemingly, and when the poor boy could do nothing but duck his head and take the blows on his bleeding face, the fight was stopped. Both of these boys went in the ring on two days' notice and put up a very fierce battle. Redmond is too strong for Corbett and outweighed him several pounds last night. Their bout was really a main event in itself. Corbett wants to meet Redmond again at from 126 to 128 pounds.

REVERSES RESULT.

Mantell easily beat O'Keefe in their ten-round bout, Mantell doing all the forcing and O'Keefe all the backing up. O'Keefe bled at the mouth continually and was evidently not up to his previous fight. It was a poor exhibition and the crowd continually booed for better work.

"Hobo" Dougherty and Jap Togo furnished a six-round curtain raiser and they slugged busily and very much on the wild order. Dougherty had the best of the bout, although the Jap made him back away in every round. Togo shuts his eyes when he starts a punch and can never be a fighter until he keeps them open.

The house was not very large, but the Redmond-Corbett scrap and the main event furnished all the excitement that was needed. Much valuable time was lost by all kinds of pugs being allowed to hurl defiant challenges at other pugs at given weights. No one cares for these announcements and the local clubs should turn over a new leaf and relieve a long-suffering public of such things.

"Bill" Reid,
former Harvard coach, who will umpire today's game.

LONG AFTER KETCHEL.
O'CONNOR MUST BE SHOWN.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Silvi Ferretti, manager of Hugo Kelly, received a letter from Baron Long, manager of the Jeffries Athletic Club of Los Angeles, inclosing articles for a meeting with Stanley Ketchel.

These were sent along so that if Kelly beats Papke on December 15, the club will be in a position to talk with Joe O'Connor, manager of the middleweight champion. O'Connor notified Baron Long to get the prospective opponent first and then he would consider any proposition made.

Ferretti yesterday wrote Long he would not sign any articles until he reached Los Angeles.

There will be no match in the near future between Packy McFarland and Freddie Welsh. This announcement was made last night by Manager Gilmore after a conversation over the wire with Promoter Coffroth of San Francisco.

PAPKE TO START TODAY.
TO WORK WITH KAUFMAN.

With the question of a manager settled Papke will buckle down today and begin his training at Venice and with but a week in which to get ready for Kelly it is about time the ex-champion did something. He will do the greater part of his boxing with Kaufman and could not get a better sparring partner. He will also use Bill Aldridge and any others that come along. Papke will work out of doors as much as possible and if the weather is bad will use Horgan Hall, where Welsh trained for his go with Attell.

Kelly did his first boxing yesterday, going four rounds with Montana Jack Sullivan. He displayed all his old-time speed and cleverness and as Kelly is one of the hardest nuts in the business it need not surprise the local bugs if they see Papke trimmed, for Kelly is a long ways from being a slouch.

Abe Wants Guarantee.

Manager Long of the Jeffries club talked with Abe Attell yesterday on the proposition of again meeting Freddie Welsh, but as Attell wanted a guarantee, Long ended the conference with a big laugh. Just why the feather champion should want a guarantee to fight a man of Welsh's drawing power is a surprise to everyone but Attell. Long would not promise Attell anything but what the two fighters could draw.

Scrap for Lauder.

Leonard Lauder of this city has signed to fight Eddie White, a clever lightweight at Bakersfield, December 21. Lauder has forwarded the signed articles and is expected to leave for the oil city early next week to begin his preparatory work. They will fight at 133 pounds and, as both are very clever, a good bout is anticipated.

Fight Fast Draw.

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Kitson of New York and Charley Goldman of Boston, fought a fast ten-round bout to a draw here tonight. It was a return engagement, Goldman having won a decision in fifteen rounds over Kitson two weeks ago.

INVADERS COMING FROM THE NORTH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Believing that a team in the California League would prove a profitable investment, Manager Cy Moreing, Jr., accompanied by Danny Shay, will go to Los Angeles next week and have a conference with business men there who are anxious to get into outlaw baseball.

Should the present manager of the State League decide to remain in the independent class, Los Angeles can take the place of Alameda, making an eight-club league, composed of the following cities, in addition to the Angel city: Sacramento, Stockton, Fresno, San José, Oakland, San Francisco and Santa Cruz.

In case the State League votes to go into organized baseball, Moreing will organize a new outlaw league, and Los Angeles will undoubtedly be one of the cities admitted.

INTERSCHOLASTIC.

ALAMEDA TEAM LOOKS CLASSY.

Los Angeles High May Lose Gridiron Honors.

Visitors Have Best Eleven in the North.

Kiser and Geissler Expected to Star Today.

The Los Angeles High School football team and Alameda High School are to contest for the interscholastic gridiron championship of the State this afternoon at Fiesta Park. The game will begin at 2:30 o'clock. The elevens are indisputably the best high school teams in California, and as they are nearly matched in weight and are composed of very capable players, the match should be closely contested and exciting.

The Alameda squad arrived here yesterday morning and registered at the Hollenbeck Hotel. The following persons were in the party: G. V. Smith, coach; William T. Reid of Belmont Military School; Russell P. Baker, secretary of the San Francisco Academic League; Charles Baum, John Seigfried, Dan Bronson, Edward Anthony, Jr.; D. J. Bruzzone, Omer R. Etter, E. B. Bruzzone, Meredith Parker, Charles Kiser, E. C. Graff, Al. Gelderman, F. S. Brush, C. H. Medcraft and Ruddie Baum.

The northern team is composed of short, husky boys, whose average weight is 162 pounds. They are the finest looking set of football players that has visited the South this year and they are confident they will take the local eleven into camp today. Last night Coach Smith said his team was in excellent condition and prepared to play its hardest game, and if the Los Angeles High School eleven wins he will have no excuses to offer. Smith believes his aggregation is the best that has ever been formed on the Coast from high school material and cannot be beaten. Six of his players were picked for the all-star high school football eleven of the San Francisco Academic League.

The Los Angeles High players, with the exception of Maguire, right end, who has a slightly-injured shoulder, are in excellent physical condition, and Coach Noble believes they will play a more effective game against the Alamedans than at any other time this year. A week of strenuous practice was topped off last night with light signal practice that was smooth and sure, indicating that the players were trained to the minute in all their formations.

The Alameda team has been playing a bucking game during most of the season and it is expected that the northerners will use few open formations. The Los Angeles line between the tackle positions probably will be the point at which the visitors will direct many of their plays, but the local boys believe that Silent and the players on both sides of him will be able to throw back their opponents. The local team has been drilled in a large variety of open formations, and with this style of offensive play, together with Geissler's punting, the blue-and-white boys hope to gain ground.

Capt. Kiser of Alameda is the strongest player in the visitors' backfield and the best all-around gridiron performer in the North. In advancing the ball on end runs and bucking the line he has been invincible in contests with the northern high schools and upon him will fall the brunt of the Alamedans' offensive play. Kiser will do the punting for his team.

"Bill" Reid, the former Harvard University player, and fullback and at present coach of the Belmont Military Academy eleven, accompanied the Alameda team and will referee the game today. Reid is the leading football authority in the West, and has rendered valuable service in advancing football among the northern "prep" schools.

"The football season that has just closed has been one of the greatest in the history of the game," Reid said last night. "All over the country American football has been played with increased popularity and success. Marked progress has been made in conducting the game under the new rules and I believe no return will be made to the old-style system. The open game is here to stay."

Coach Warner of Sherman Institute will umpire the game. He has officiated in several of the principal contests of the season and is considered one of the best officials in the South. Warner will leave for the East next week. He has not as yet decided whether he will coach the Indians again next year, although it is probable that on account of the excellent material developed this season which would be at his disposal, he will come back.

The line-up:

L. A. High.		Alameda High.
Geissler	L. E. R.	E. Bruzzone
Shores	L. T. R.	R. Baum
Wimmer	L. G. R.	Parker
Silent	C.	Bronson
Hunter	R. G. L.	D. Bruzzone
Grimm	R. T. L.	Seigfried
Maguire	R. E. L.	Gelderman
Cass (c)	Q. B.	Brush
Brant	L. H. R.	Kiser (c)
Decius	R. H. L.	C. Baum
Winget	F. B.	Graff

Length of halves, twenty-five minutes; referee, William T. Reid of Belmont Military Academy; umpire, Coach Warner of Sherman Institute.

CHICAGO AT BUTTE.
BUSINESS MEN GUARANTEE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Definite arrangements were completed today by eight of Butte's most prominent business men for the appearance here December 19, of the Englewood High School of Chicago, for a game of football with the Butte High School, which has defeated every team it played in the Northwest in the last two years.

Charles E. Virden, president of the Merchants' Association; W. M. Twohy, president of the Butte Business Men's Association; Postmaster Malcolm Gillis, Superintendent Harry Gallaway of the Parrot Mining Company, together with others, will guarantee every dollar of the $1200 deposit needed, together with any more cash required. The meeting of the business men was voluntary and unbounded enthusiasm prevailed.

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BOX SPRINGS CLIMB TODAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the road in fine condition and with all of the cars here that have entered, with the exception of the Buick, some classy races are promised tomorrow afternoon on the Box Springs course.

The drivers of all the cars are enthusiastic over the hard condition of the track, and this afternoon was spent by them in trying out their racers.

The Stoddard-Dayton has shown up the best in this afternoon's try-outs, making the hill in 1m. 21s. in one test. The Rambler 40, in one spurt, reached the top in 1m. 42s. The Chalmers-Detroit, which is considered the Stoddard-Dayton's closest rival, covered the course in one test in 1m. 23½s., with Bert Dingley at the wheel. The Rambler 32, which is entered in the eleventh event, took the hill in 1m. 50s.

The road leading to the course has been scraped and rolled and is in prime condition. Arrangements have been made for those going to the races to take the Victoria electric-car to the end of the line, where automobiles will convey them to the course and back. The races are to start at 1 o'clock.

Soccer Football.

The Thistles and the Los Angeles Association Club will play a game of soccer football at Fiesta Park Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This game will finish the schedule of the soccer teams.

The line-up:

L. A. Association.		Thistles.
A. Newman	goal	Burden
Constable	right back	Wiggins
Owen	left back	Wilton
Schofield	right half	Carleton
Riddings	center half	Rheinholdt
Witberg	left half	Munroe
Caswell	outside right	Gove
Todd	inside right	Cutler
Lane	center field	Gorfunkle
York	inside left	McArthur
Kitchen	outside left	Bucher

Orders Team to Disband.

ESCONDIDO, Dec. 4.—Prof. J. H. Crippen, principal of the High School, backed by the school trustees, has prevented the football elevn of the school from further playing this season on the grounds that the understanding was that the game with the Russ, November 14, was to be the last game and that further playing would tend to interfere with the studies of the players. It was the wish of the eleven to play a second game with the San Diego Y.M.C.A., in order to decide a tie. The ruling of the principal will be accepted.

To Play Game Over.

POMONA, Dec. 4.—At a meeting of the Citrus Belt League held at Colton for the purpose of considering the time and place for the return Rugby game which must be played over again because Pomona used two of its substitutes in the game when it won from Riverside on the local field, it was decided that the game should be played at Redlands on Saturday. The Pomona lads have won the championship of the league by the defeat of Redlands recently and Redlands and Riverside are said to be much chagrined at the fact, hence the strenuous efforts to arrange for the coming game.

OF COURSE.

PONIES SHOCK ALL SUCKERS.

LONG SHOTS AND FAVORITES DIVIDE SIX RACES.

Wise Guys Trim the Bookmakers on Two Events When "Good Things" Come to Life—Two Horses Change Hands After Winning—Jockey Fined for Rough Riding.

Surprise parties that shocked and delighted both the pikers and the form players were the features at the Arcadia races yesterday, and the card of six events furnished all kinds of sport for the gamblers. Brush Up, at 30 to 1, took the third race in a driving finish by a head from the 50-to-1 shot Nonie Lucille, the 4-to-5 favorite Kerry being fourth.

Tanama, in the first race, opened up at 15 to 1, and was hastily backed down to 3 to 1 at post time, and won easily by almost five lengths from Galinda, also played from 10 to 6 to 1. In the fifth, Capt. Burnett was plunged on at 10 to 1 and backed down to 9 to 2, and ran away from Merlingo, the 8-to-5 favorite, winning by ten lengths. Old Proper won again at odds of 2 to 5, and was bid up from $400 to $700 and sold to O. E. Ware. Brush Up was run up from her entered price of $500 to $800, and was bought by W. Gabriel. Jockey Sweet, on Col. White in the fifth race, did some bumping work and knocked Alma Boy off his stride at the first turn, and for this the jockey was fined $50.

The card was only an ordinary one, and with the track slow and cuppy fast time was an impossibility. Results:

Five furlongs: Tanama, 105 (Treubel,) 3 to 1, won; Galinda, 105 (Musgrave,) 6 to 1, second; Bellethorpe, 105 (Schilling,) 3 to 5, third; time, 1:02 4-5. Street Singer, Miss Polly, Echopus, Emmerke and Beeswax also ran.

Mile: Goldway, 107 (Schilling,) 9 to 5, won; Adoration, 107 (Archibald,) 8 to 1, second; Dainty Belle, 107 (Kennedy,) 16 to 5, third; time, 1:42 4-5. King Leopold, Earl Rogers, Taos, Sidney F., Homeless and Town Topics also ran. Summer Cloud scratched.

Five and one-half furlongs: Brush Up, 109 (Clark,) 30 to 1, won; Nonie Lucille, 109 (Goldstein,) 50 to 1, second; Fleming, 104 (Williams,) 8 to 1, third; time, 1:09. Kerry, Old Settler, Orello, Mintia, Tim O'Toole, Miss Fairbanks, Sonalto, Byron, Platoon and Royal Ascot also ran.

Seven furlongs: Proper, 112 (Powers,) 2 to 5, won; Elizabeth F., 104 (Fain,) 8 to 1, second; Senator Beckham, 105 (Ural,) 18 to 5, third; time, 1:29 2-5. Anona also ran. Niblick scratched.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Capt. Burnett, 101 (Page,) 9 to 2, won; Merlingo, 110 (Truebel,) 8 to 5, second; Col. White, 102 (Sweet,) 3 to 1, third; time, 2:02 3-5. Alma Boy also ran.

Six furlongs: Tom Reid, 105 (Treubel,) 7 to 5, won; Maid of Gotham, 102 (Martin,) 7 to 1, second; Pert, 102 (Archibald,) 11 to 2, third; time, 1:15 3-5. Osorine, Traffic, Modena, Mattie Russell, Alice Collins and Helen Harvey also ran. Yankee Daughter, Dredkin and Lucky Mate scratched.

EMERYVILLE RACES.
COUNTY CLERK THE WINNER.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 4.—Most of the races at Emeryville today were run during a heavy rain and the track was a sea of mud. There were a number of surprises and the layers recouped some of the losses sustained recently.

One of the upsets came in the Lisle Handicap for 2-year-olds. Force was favorite with Sempronium second choice. Maurethnia, a 7 to 1, chance, won from Listowel, while Force was third.

County Clerk led all the way in the third and beat Byronerdale. John Crane, owner of the latter, bid County Clerk up from $500 to $1000, and secured him. Raleigh, favorite for the fifth, went the longest way in the race and finished outside the money. Results:

Six furlongs, purse: Trust, 109 (Upton,) 5 to 1, won; Queen Bessie, 109 (Gilbert,) 15 to 1, second; Burnell, 109 (Kirschbaum,) 10 to 1, third; time, 1:16 1-5. Francis Joseph, Abraham, Uncle Sam, Patricia, Amethyst, Gazolo, San Oak, Soldano and Ledax also ran.

Futurity course, selling: Bucolic, 105 (Keogh,) 3 to 1, won; St. Avon, 104 (Butler,) 9 to 1, second; Billy Bowlegs, 99 (Buxton,) 10 to 1, third; time, 1:12. Plausible, Von Tromp, Boas, Kokomo, Mike Asheim, Lackfoot and Romalpe also ran.

One and three-sixteenths miles, selling: County Clerk, 110 (Buxton,) 7 to 2, won; Byronerdale, 109 (Miller,) 5 to 1, second; Fulletta, 105 (Taplin,) 7 to 1, third; time, 2:03 4-5. My Pal, Rotrou, Lady Alicia, L. C. Ackerly, Rhinock, Lazell, Col. Bronston, Talamund and Alcibiades also ran.

Seven furlongs, Lisle Handicap: Mauretania, 96 (Kirschbaum,) 7 to 1, won; Listowel, 108 (Buxton,) 5 to 1, second; Force, 105 (Upton,) 3 to 2, third; time, 1:29. Sempronium, Aks Ar Ben, and Guy Fisher also ran.

Mile and twenty yards, selling: Miss Mazzoni, 107 (Keogh,) 11 to 2, won; Capt. Kennedy, 109 (Miller,) 23 to 5, second; Elevation, 112 (Lynch,) 20 to 1, third; time, 1:45. Raleigh, Colbert, Mattie Mack, Lampadrome, May L. N., and Milshora also ran.

Mile and twenty yards, selling: Confederate, 110 (Scoville,) 11 to 2, won; Beechwood, 109 (Miller,) 9 to 2, second; Eckersall, 110 (Keogh,) 9 to 2, third; time, 1:44 2-5. Orchan, Millie R., Midmont, Miss M. Bowdish and Royal Red also ran.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

Five and one-half furlongs, two-year olds: Bold, 99; Friese, 109; J. F. Crowley, 102; Sorrowful, 109; Anderson, 107; Gerrymander, 109; Louis Streuber, 104; Prudent, 107.

Seven furlongs: Prince of Castile, 111; Taunt, 111; Saracinesca, 111; *Mary F., 106; Third Rail, 107; Grande Dame, 107; Jack Witt, 111; *Pal, 106; *Phalanx, 109.

The Pacific Handicap, one and one-eighth miles: Vox Populi, 104; xAlma Dufour, 106; Magazine, 100; xLotus Eater, 98; J. C. Clem, 90. xSt. James entry.

The Vernon Selling Stakes; $1500 added; one mile: Light Wool, 112; Miss Sain, 110; Old Timer, 108; xDandelion, 107; Sir Edward, 107; xRestigouche, 105; Astronomer, 104; Mark Antony II, 100. xHildredth entry.

Five and one-half furlongs: Canardo, 113; Entre Nous, 107; Lord Nelson, 101; *Please, 100; La Gloria, 99; Arimo, 98; Joe Gaitens, 87.

Five and one-half furlongs: All Alone, 93; Manila S., 95; Columbia Girl, 95; Adelbert Belle, 95; Trois Temps, 84; Duke of Bridgewater, 99; Catherine F., 85; Talentosa, 99; Lord of the Forest, 98. *Apprentice allowance.

Big Price for Trotter.

LEXINGTON (Ky.) Dec. 4.—The two-year-old trotter Robert C., by Peter the Great, out of Cocoon, has been sold for $12,000 by the Patchen Wilkes Stock Farm, to S. G. G. Moore of St. Clair, Mich.

Y.M.C.A.

ATHLETIC CONTESTS TO FINISH TONIGHT.

The final contests in the athletic competitions which have been in progress at the Y.M.C.A. during the last three weeks will be pulled off tonight at 8 o'clock. The list of events includes the running high jump, pull-up, hop-step-jump, pole vault and quarter-mile potato race.

The pole vault is an innovation at the Y.M.C.A., as an indoor attraction, and is expected to bring out some interesting competition. The potato race is also a feature event, as heretofore the course with the spuds has not exceeded 200 yards, and the longer distance is calculated to tax the endurance of the contestants to the limit.

H. E. Dane now leads the competitors with a total of 1061 points. Dane is an old-timer, but has not taken an active part in association athletics for two years. He was a member of the champion team which won honors for the local association team at the St. Louis championships and the Portland Exposition events.

H. Macready stands second with 979 points, and is a veteran performer who made a fine showing last year. C. Smith is fourth with 924 points and T. A. Donahue fifth with a total of 908 tallies. Both these athletes are new men and their work has surprised even the physical directors.

The standing of the remaining competitors and their scores are as follows: E. H. Barrett 855, H. R. Mensing 790, C. Schwenck 779, G. B. Ornam 648, W. F. Zigler 610, E. V. Robinson 512, A. C. Henschel 489, R. E. Squire 342, H. Murray 334, W. P. Casey 231. Medals will be given to the winners at the close of the contests.

Next Saturday night an indoor pentathlon will be held at which time medals will be awarded to the winning contestants. The pentathlon is a combination event requiring excellence in the shot-put, one-quarter-mile potato race, pole vault, three standing broad jumps and running high jump. Entries for the events will close next Friday night.

Considerable interest has been shown in handball, and a tournament will be started week after next. The matches will be played off in the afternoon, and a large number of players are expected to compete, as quite a few names have been handed in already. The entry list will be open until the Saturday night preceding the tourney.

Basketball is booming among the various classes of the gym courses and a league from the classes of the association will shortly be organized, and a regular schedule leading to the championship will be arranged. Already there are six teams playing, and there are enough available candidates to organize as many additional fives.

W. A. Reynolds is in charge of athletic events, under the general directorate of C. H. Price. Reynolds formerly was director of athletics at the Detroit association, and is well qualified to assist Price in the local association.

Joy Park Baseball.

The All Stars and L. A. Giants will cross bats at Joy Park this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The line-up of the teams will be as follows:

All Stars		L. A. Giants
Hunt	P.	Clark
Orendorff	C.	Carroll
Weed	1 B.	Bronson
Smiley	2 B.	Hawkins
Moore	3 B.	Hubert
Schafer	S.S.	Lane
Snodgrass	L.F.	Boggs
Kinklin	C.F.	Battles
Allen	R.F.	Brock

Four or Six Clubs.

The baseball situation is practically unchanged, according to a telegram sent here last night by Henry Berry, en route to this city. He states that it looks like four or six clubs in the Coast League next year and that he did all he could to bring the outlaws into the fold but that they want to await the arrival here this month of the big magnates from the East, before they decide their final action.

Berry Comes Today.

Henry Berry, president of the Los Angeles ball club is expected home this morning from San Francisco, where he went to interview the outlaws on the proposition of coming into organized baseball. There does not seem to be any chance for it at this time.

Athletic Club Busy.

The Los Angeles Athletic Club is arranging for another handball tournament to begin January 1. The Entertainment Committee is devoting a great amount of time these days to the minstrel show that will be given in February, and it is expected that this affair will uncover a lot of class in the amusement line.

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[D]RAWING COLO[R] IS FAVORI[TE]

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE ...]

[S]AN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sam Langford, the Boston middleweight, accompanied [by] Joe Woodman and Manager Eddie ...vin and Jimmy Walsh, the bantam...ight, arrived late this afternoon [fro]m their long trip across the conti[nen]t.

[T]he fighters, and particularly the col[ore]d man, of whom so much has been [wr]itten by the New York critics, were [a] source of constant attraction in [sp]orting quarters. There was a con[sta]nt flow of sight-seers who wanted [to] look Langford over.

[M]et at the train by Promoter Ber..., who has returned from Los An[ge]les, the discussion of terms for the [Lan]gford-Flynn match immediately [too]k place, and although it took sev[era]l hours to get the managers on a [sat]isfactory basis, the articles were [fin]ally drawn up and signed before 10 [o']clock.

[T]here was but one hitch in the pro[cee]dings. Woodman was laboring un[der] the impression that his man was [to] engage in a fifteen-round fight with [Fl]ynn, and he stuck out for that point. [Ji]m McGrath, representing Flynn, in[sis]ted that it must be twenty rounds, [an]d, together with the promoter, who [di]d not care for a short bout, he gained [the] point, Woodman being finally con[vin]ced that his man would be more of [a] drawing card with the longer dis[tan]ce.

[U]nder the articles, it is stated that [the] fighters are to take 50 per cent. of [the] receipts, divided 60 per cent. to [the] winner and 40 to the loser. It is [un]derstood, however, that Langford [wil]l receive a 10 per cent. bonus and [tha]t Flynn has been guaranteed $2000 [for] his end. The selection of a referee [wil]l be made five days before the fight, [wh]ich is to take place December 21 at [the] Coliseum.

[N]o opponent was selected for Jimmy [W]alsh, and that end of the card will [not] be signed tomorrow. There are [thr]ee available opponents, Monte At[tel]l, Jimmy Reagan and Danny Web[ste]r.

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DRAWING COLOR LINE IS FAVORITE SPORT.

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The fighters, and particularly the colored man, of whom so much has been written by the New York critics, were the source of constant attraction in sporting quarters. There was a constant flow of sight-seers who wanted to look Langford over.

Met at the train by Promoter Berger, who has returned from Los Angeles, the discussion of terms for the Langford-Flynn match immediately took place, and although it took several hours to get the managers on a satisfactory basis, the articles were finally drawn up and signed before 10 o'clock.

There was but one hitch in the proceedings. Woodman was laboring under the impression that his man was to engage in a fifteen-round fight with Flynn, and he stuck out for that point. Tim McGrath, representing Flynn, insisted that it must be twenty rounds, and, together with the promoter, who did not care for a short bout, he gained his point. Woodman being finally convinced that his man would be more of a drawing card with the longer distance.

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Flynn and Walsh will go to their training quarters at Joe Millett's on Saturday morning, but the black will do no boxing until the middle of the week.

Betting has opened at even money that Flynn will not last fifteen rounds.

TWO LEAGUE CONTESTS.

Los Angeles High School Boys' and Girls' Teams to Play Basketball This Morning.

Two games of basketball will be played on the Los Angeles High School courts this morning. The first will begin at 10 o'clock and will be between the boys' team of Los Angeles High and Harvard Military Academy. In the third game of the County League. The second game will be between the girls' teams of Los Angeles High and Whittier High, in the first girl's game of the league, to begin at 10:30 o'clock, the boys and girls alternating.

The girls will line-up as follows:

Los Angeles.		Whittier.
"Joe" Rosenthal	forward	Izy Crawford
Grace Fink	forward	Daisy Newby
Sally Riley	center	Louise Witherow
Grace Kincaid	center	Hilda Volkmor
Mary Johnstone	guard	Hazel Clayton
Hattie Gillmore (c)	guard	Clemmie Gard
Sophie Sweet	sub.	Jean Haskell
Annabel Buchannon		

The following will be the line-up of the boys:

Los Angeles.		Harvard.
Barker	forward	Mitchell
Major	forward	Fowler
Nancy	center	Whitman
Cooper	guard	Schneider
Harrigan	guard	Levy

POMONA COURTS.

SOPHS BEAT FRESHMEN.

CLAREMONT, Dec. 4.—The first of the Pomona basketball games was won by the sophomores over the freshmen yesterday afternoon, by the score of 24 to 18, beginning the men's interclass series. The interclass games will be run off before definite 'varsity practice starts in, in order to arouse interest and give the candidates as great an amount of practice in games as possible.

In yesterday's game, several of the football men figured prominently. Gore at center, for the sophomores, put up a strong, heady game, finding an able opponent in Kepner, the freshman 'varsity tackle. Carver at forward played well for the younger team, although a trifle slow for the position.

The material out so far is showing up well, and the prospects for a strong 'varsity are good.

Madden Beats Ferns.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frankie Madden got the decision in his ten-round bout with Harry Ferns at the National A. C., tonight. Ferns had the best of the argument during the first four sessions but Madden became stronger as the fight progressed and finished in much better shape than his opponent. The fight was held under the protection of an injunction preventing interference by the police.

Northwestern League.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 4.—The annual meeting of the Northwestern League of Baseball Clubs will be held here next Tuesday, as announced by President W. H. Lucas. There will be two important measures come up, the admission of Portland to the league and the election of a president.

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Griffith declared that two men died at Nome as a result of abuse, overwork and starvation, and that one man was handed over to the revenue cutter Thetis in a dying condition.

He said the killing of Cadoza was the culmination of a long series of persecution and abuse heaped upon Gardiner by the dead man, who was a petty officer, and that the killing was necessary to save his own life.

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They represent interests in which millions of dollars are invested, and which, they have reiterated, will suffer irreparable financial injury if the threatened increase of rates is permitted to go into effect. Moreover, they represent a business influence which is widespread, and which has proved a mighty factor making for the commercial development of the State of California.

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WRIGHTS SELL PATENT?

LONDON, Dec. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Berlin dispatch to the Morning Leader says that a prominent firm of engineers in Berlin is reported to have bought the Wright brothers' aëroplane patent, and will work energetically thereon next year.

In consequence of the inability of the British government to come to an agreement with the church party regarding the Education Bill, the measure has been withdrawn from the House of Commons. This announcement was made by Premier Asquith in the House of Commons yesterday. The deadlock followed the demand made by the Archbishop of Canterbury for a larger grant for non-rate aid schools than the government was willing to allow.

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CHEERS SUFFRAGISTS.

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women, as a whole, take any special interest in the matter they will have the suffrage if they desire it. But at present I think most of them are lukewarm; I find some actively for it and some actively against it. I am, for the reasons given above, rather what you would regard as lukewarm, or tepid in my support of it, because, while I believe in it, I do not regard it as of very much importance. I believe that man and woman should stand on an equality of right, but I do not believe that equality of rights means identity of function; and I am more convinced that the great field, the indispensible field, for the usefulness of woman, is as the mother of the family. It is her work in the household, in the home, her work in bearing and rearing the children, which is more than any man's work, and it is that work which should be normally the women's special work, just as normally the man's work should be that of the breadwinner, the supporter of the home, and, if necessary, the soldier who will fight for the home. There are exceptions as regards both man and woman; but the full and perfect life, the life of highest happiness and of highest usefulness to the State, is the life of the man and woman who are husband and wife, who live in the partnership of love and duty, the one earning enough to keep the home, the other managing the home and children.

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Dr. Abbott, who was the principal speaker at the meeting, argued against what he held would be the infliction of new and unnatural responsibilities and duties upon women by forcing upon them the obligations of public life. The title of his address was "The Assault on Womanhood."

Secretary Root, in a letter which was read, said:

"I do not myself consider that the granting of suffrage to women would, under the existing conditions, be any improvement in our system of government. On the contrary, I think it would rather reduce than increase the electoral efficiency of our people.

"I am inclined to think, however, that if the women of the United States, or any very large majority of them, should really come to want the right of suffrage, for themselves, they would ultimately get it.

"For the purpose of exercising the right of the suffrage, if they should ever get it, and for the purpose of determining intelligently whether they really want it, the women of the country generally ought to have and to seize the opportunity for a greater degree of education in questions of government and in the art of government than they have had up to this time."

Losses aggregating $350,000 were caused by Thursday night's fire in Portland, Me. Two of the eight docks of the Grand Trunk Railroad were destroyed, and the Dominion Line steamer Cornishman, partly loaded, was ruined. The loss on the vessel and the freight on board is estimated at $250,000, and on the docks, buildings and other property of the railroad, $100,000.

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CESSPOOLS—
$5 TO $10
CLEANS THEM OUT.
3½ years' experience in Los Angeles. Ask your neighbor about us; 6 tanks; no waiting. LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., E9146, Temple 593.

CESSPOOLS—
IF YOU WANT GOOD WORK AND PROMPT ATTENTION, CALL US. OUR FOREMAN IS A PLUMBER AND KNOWS HOW; 1 TO 2 LOADS CLEANS A CESSPOOL. RED CROSS SANITARY CO., MAIN 8605. 55004.

IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS, The CENTRAL AVE. ROOFING CO. will mend it. South 3253. 5

TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 531-533 S. SPRING st. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring-street office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

WRINKLES—
Bagginess about the eyes removed by the renowned M. Ella Harris method; no injecting; no cutting. Consultation free. Paraffin removed. 452½ S. BROADWAY.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED OUT. WE TAKE out over 100 gallons at each load more than other company at same price. IMPERIAL PUMPING CO., 1311 W. 20th st. Home 22040; West 5396.

MOTHERS WITH NEWBORN, PREMATURE or sickly babies wishing medical attention free, apply at once. 346 South Broadway. BABY INCUBATOR INSTITUTE 6

UMBRELLAS — UMBRELLAS REPAIRED equal to new; called for and delivered. Send post card to D. KENWORTH, Watts, Cal. 7

"IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS" (BEN SCOTT.) SCOTT, the roofer, 1622 S. Main, will fix it. Tin, shingle, gravel, paper. "Show him the job."

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets, refitting, sewing and laying. 219 E. 4TH ST. Main 715, Home A4254.

ROOF REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE. ALL work guaranteed. CALIFORNIA ROOFING & SUPPLY CO., 502 Grosse Bldg. F8452.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 758 San Pedro. Phone Sunset Main 1166, Home F8041.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. West 581, Home 84719. MRS. HEATH.

PERSONAL— Business.

PERSONAL—PROF. W. E. KING, 247 S. HILL ST. 247.
ASTRAL DEAD TRANCE SPIRIT PSYCHIC SEER AND PALMIST. BY PUBLIC REQUEST. SPECIAL READINGS THIS WEEK. 50c—50c—50c—50c—50c.
To receive the 50c readings you must cut this advertisement out and bring it with you. He gives dates, facts and figures, reliable and important advice on all matters of interest in business transactions, lawsuits, contested wills, damage suits, deeds, mortgage, claim.
HIS REVELATIONS ARE MOST WONDERFUL and acknowledged to be of the highest order, not made to satisfy idle curiosity, but intended to give those who seek the truth a permanent benefit. He does not cater to the superstitions of the ignorant, credulous people. If you are in doubt that he can and will perform all he claims, feel yourself invited to call, and he will give you a more substantial proof of his marvelous power than you have before received from mortal.
HIGH CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED. Readings daily and Sunday, 10 to 8. Permanently located in his own home, 247 S. HILL ST. 247. NEXT DOOR TO NEW Y.W.C.A. BLDG. NEAR ANGELS' FLIGHT. PROF. W. E. KING. 5

PERSONAL—MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. WORLD'S GREATEST SEERESS. WITHOUT ASKING ONE QUESTION, BEFORE YOU UTTER A WORD, Karma gives dates, facts, figures. Tells you of loved ones, living or dead, YOUR SECRET TROUBLES, the cause and remedy; in fact, tells everything. Gives infallible advice on all affairs of life, including business, law, health, changes, travel, patents, financial troubles.
BY PUBLIC REQUEST, SPECIAL READING THIS WEEK. 50c—50c—50c—50c—50c—50c.
To receive the 50c readings you must cut this ad. out AND BRING IT WITH YOU. Hours 10 to 8. HOTEL WILLOUGHBY, SUITE 7, 506 SOUTH HILL ST. 506 OVER PARK BANK. COR. FIFTH AND HILL STS. OPP. CENTRAL PARK. MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. MADAM KARMA. 5

PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON,
The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST. (over Owl Drug Store,) by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.
Investments, changes of business, losses and gains, lawsuits, deaths, marriages, separation, and, in fact, all that life holds for you is plainly written in your hand; it is simply a question of correct interpretation. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — TIMES COOK BOOK NO. 3 ready today, and until the edition is exhausted, is placed on sale the largest, most elaborate and comprehensive cook book of the series issued by The Times. The 315 recipes for hot Spanish and Mexican dishes and the hygienic department are big features of the publication. The recipes, brought out by The Times Prize Cooking Contest, are generally from Southern California housewives, and noted chefs. Price 25c; by mail 5c additional. Address THE TIMES, Los Angeles.

PERSONAL — THE WORLD'S GREATEST ASTRAL SEER AND PSYCHIC. MILBURN. WHEN CONSIDERING A PSYCHIC consult the best. Milburn is the acknowledged leader of them all. Permanently located in Los Angeles. He advises you with a power higher than human. He brings sunshine and success in your life, telling you how to overcome enemies and obstacles. Work guaranteed. 433 W. SIXTH ST. Hours 10 to 8, early and Sundays. 5

PERSONAL—THE BEST. MME. ANNUVE. THE WONDERFUL TRANCE PSYCHIC AND MENTAL HEALER. READINGS 50 CENTS THIS WEEK. 634½ SO. BROADWAY. OPP. HAMBURGER'S, BET. 6TH & 7TH.

PERSONAL—TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, 531-533 S. Spring st. Advertisements and subscriptions left at the new Spring st. office of The Times will receive as careful attention as at the main office. Competent clerks in attendance.

PERSONAL— Business.

PERSONAL — BYRON STANLEY, OLDEST ESTABLISHED, BEST-KNOWN PSYCHIC ADVISER IN CALIFORNIA, GIVES RELIABLE AND SOUND ADVICE THAT WILL HELP YOU ON ALL AFFAIRS OF LIFE. LOW FEE TO ALL. 440½ S. SPRING. 5

PERSONAL—WANTED, TO SELL GOODS on commission; state your business and where to find you; novelty or staple goods. Address EXPERIENCE, P. O. Box 714, Los Angeles.

PERSONAL—I WOULD LIKE TO FIND the whereabouts of Mr. William Thomas, formerly of 109 Logan st., Pasadena. D. T. KLING, 103 Logan st., Pasadena, Cal. 6

PERSONAL—LADIES USE DR. LA FRANCO'S Compound; safe, speedy regulator; 25c; druggists or mail; booklet and testimonial free. DR. LA FRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, EXPERT PALMIST; ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 308½ S. SPRING. 8

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, EXPERT astrologer and palmist. 305½ S. Spring. 5

WANTED— Help, Male.

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WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO., A strictly first-class agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited. 116 EAST SECOND STREET. Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on Pacific Coast.
SUNSET MAIN 509. HOME EXCHANGE 509.
Man and wife, roustabout and cook, for oil camp; man and wife, ranch and cook, $55 etc.; machine miners, $4; miners, $3; pumper, oil fields, $75 etc.; plow teamsters, $30, $40 etc.; house carpenters, $3, $3.50; milkers, $35, $40 etc.; wagon washer, city, $35.
HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Man and wife, cook and helper, $70 etc., free fare; dry goods clerk; baker foreman, married man preferred, $30 etc.; porter and shoe shine, Arizona, $14 week; cafe cook, country, $75 etc.; dishwasher, $8. 4

WANTED—POSITIONS SECURED FOR
Office men, Assistant book-keepers,
Book-keepers, Collectors,
Stenographers, Time-keepers,
Cashiers, Railroad clerks,
Private secretaries, Hotel clerks,
Clerks dept. stores, Grocery clerks,
Traveling salesmen, Watchmen,
Electricians, Engineers,
General office and mercantile assistants.
COMMERCIAL SERVICE CO., 509-510 I. W. Hellman Bldg., 411 S. Main. 5

WANTED—JAPANESE PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT CO., Leading agency and contract office. Phone Home F1075, Main 1714. House and window cleaning department. Female Department. 631 W. SIXTH ST., Los Angeles, Cal. ATTENTION—Beware of imitators who are using our firm name, "PACIFIC." 15

WANTED—A GOOD, RELIABLE MAN TO do office work and collecting; have charge of money department; experience would not be necessary; would have to deposit a little money in the bank as a bond for your honesty; no other reference will be accepted; do not call before 10 o'clock. 332 GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. Spring st. 5

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 420 E. Sixth st. Home 5353, Main 2704. COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS. Ranch hands, house and window cleaners. 15 HOUR OR DAY CONTRACT.

WANTED—AN EXPERT MANUFACTURER of celluloid goods; must understand the business in all its branches; a good opportunity for the right man. Call between 9 and 10 a.m., First and Spring, HOTEL NADEAU. 5

WANTED—I MADE $50,000 IN FIVE YEARS in the mail order business; began with $5. Any one can do the work at home in spare time. Send for my free booklet. Tells how to get started. HEACOCK, box 713, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—A NURSERYMAN WHO HAS had experience in fruit tree nurseries. A good opening for a young, energetic man, who is anxious to advance on his merits. Address BOX 1310, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary. No canvassing. Send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, box 701, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED — GOOD SALESMAN TO SELL patent preparation to retail druggists, only on commission basis; good chance for right man. Apply, give 'phone and address. Address A, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—10 GOOD TALKERS, 25 TO 30 years old; able to earn $15 per week; opportunity to earn more as you learn the business. No lazy men need apply. Call between 9 to 11 a.m., ROOM 411, 424 S. Broadway. 5

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED book-keeper for high-class tourist hotel, salary $60, room and board; only single man with first-class local references need apply. 525 BYRNE BLDG. 5

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESMAN understanding the china, glass and silverware lines. Apply with references, VOLMER-JANTZEN CO., N.E. corner Seventh and Hill. 6

WANTED—MALE BILL CLERK; RESPONSIBLE firm, Los Angeles; Smith Premier machine. SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER CO., 103 N. Broadway. Phone A4611, Main 1909. 6

WANTED — SOLICITORS TO SOLICIT combination accident and health insurance. Salary and commission to right parties. Room 318 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG. 5

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS CAKE BAKER and decorator; man to take charge of new bakery in city; must be A1. Address B, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 10

WANTED—3 EXPERIENCED NEWSPAPER solicitors for an easy proposition. Good money on special offer. Call at once after 4:30 p.m., 531 S. SPRING ST. 6

WANTED—ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN, experience in residence work required. 608 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG., Pasadena. 6

WANTED—MAN EXPERIENCED IN FURNITURE moving; also one experienced furniture packer. BURGER & BURGER, 1514 S. Grand ave. 7

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS JEWELRY ENGRAVER, AT ONCE; salary $50 per week until after Xmas. Apply S. MEYER & CO., 224 S. Spring st. 7

WANTED—AT THE FIFTH ST. STORE, experienced shoe salesmen, clothing salesmen and floor men. Apply to SUPT. Saturday morning. 5

WANTED—6 SOLICITORS FOR THEATER programme; no has-beens need apply; bring references 9 o'clock today, at 432 S. BROADWAY. 5

WANTED—25 YOUNG MEN FOR RAILROAD work. Call day or evening. F. D. MACKAY, 542 Central ave., Los Angeles. 5

WANTED — AUTOMOBILE TOP MAKERS and trimmers; good wages to good men. DURO-CAR MFG. CO., 827-833 S. Los Angeles. 5

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SOLICITOR for family liquor store. Address B, box 164, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—A BOLT MAKER. APPLY TO CALIFORNIA INDUSTRIAL CO., 4th and Mateo st. 6

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TAKE CHARGE territory; make collections; part of time in office. Call 315 THORPE BLDG. 5

WANTED—20 BOYS TO SELL A FINE NEW weekly magazine. Apply early at THE TELEGRAPH, 134½ S. Spring st. 5

WANTED—MAN PRESSER ON WOMEN'S coats and skirts. Apply SUPT., Broadway Department Store. 5

WANTED—LATHE MACHINIST TO GO TO Whittier. Tel. BROADWAY 2128, Home F3413. 5

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO WORK evenings and Sundays. Call at DRUG STORE, 2300 S. Grand ave. 5

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS UPHOLSTERER. Apply PACIFIC PURCHASING CO., corner Carolina and Palmetto st. 6

WANTED—25 EXPERIENCED SALESMEN. Apply before 10 a.m., SUPERINTENDENT Broadway Department Store. 5

WANTED—A GOOD, STEADY BOY TO help in kitchen. Apply at side entrance. 1253 W. SEVENTH ST. 5

WANTED—5 EXPERIENCED SHOE SALESMEN. BURNS-FARNSWORTH SHOE CO., 338 S. Broadway. 5

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING AND furnishing goods salesman. Inquire at M. LOWENTHAL, 136-138 North Spring st. 5

WANTED — SOLICITORS. ACTIVE MEN earn from $20 to $50 per week. Room 440 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 8

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS LADIES' tailors. Call at BANON & CO., 424 S. Broadway, room 203. 6

WANTED—PAINTER TO FIGURE ON small job. Call ROOM 1004, Security Bldg. 5

WANTED — JOB PRINTER. MILLER PRINTING COMPANY, 132½ S. Spring st. 5

WANTED — BUSHELMAN; MUST UNDERSTAND his business. Call 700 S. SPRING. 5

WANTED—A1 BUSHELMAN. APPLY 814 E. WASHINGTON ST. 5

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN PANTS MAKING, etc. 130 N. BROADWAY, room 208. 7

WANTED—A BUSHELMAN. 448 S. SPRING. 5

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (Investment Required.)

WANTED — A GENTLEMAN WITH $10,000 to invest in an established contracting business, with lots of work at present and good contracts in sight. Must be a man with good executive ability, to manage the financial end of the business, and capable of meeting all classes of business men. Address Y, box 294, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH $900 AND services, who wants to make money; be his own manager and paymaster. Prefer one who belongs to some church. Address A, box 134, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — INCORPORATED MANUFACTURING company wants man for woodworking shop; wages $3 per day to start; you will be required to invest $250 in stock of company. Call 1857 HOOVER ST. 5

WANTED—LADY COOK WANTS PARTNER with $225; take cash and help manage established restaurant while she does cooking. Particulars at ROOM 9, 534½ S. Broadway. 5

WANTED— Help, Female.

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WANTED — 25 EXPERIENCED SALESWOMEN. 25 cashiers. Steady positions secured to right applicants. Apply before 10 a.m., SUPERINTENDENT Broadway Department Store. 5

WANTED — WAITRESS, COUNTRY, $25 etc.; waitress, R.R. eating house, $25 etc.; waitress, cafe, $7 wk.; girl, mixed work, Imperial Valley, $30 etc.; cook, restaurant, country, $40 etc.; cook, delicacy store, $10 wk.; cook, Randsburg, $40 etc.; cook, boarding house, $50 etc.; girl, mixed work, same place, $25 etc.; cook and waitress, mother and daughter, $75 etc.; house girl, Arizona, $25 etc.; house girl, New Mexico, $30 etc.; house girls, $30 etc., $25 etc.; lady barber, Arizona, $16 wk.; solicitors and clerks; second girl, $25 etc. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 East 2d st. 5

WANTED—AT THE FIFTH ST. STORE, 100 MORE SALESLADIES FOR VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS. GOOD POSITIONS OPEN FOR EXPERIENCED HELP. APPLY TO SUPT., SATURDAY MORNING. 5

WANTED — COOK, FIRST-CLASS BOARDING house, $45; working housekeeper, family, city, $35; house girl, family 2, cottage, city, $30; house girl, good cook, family 3, $35; house girl, eastern family, Monrovia, $35; cook, small restaurant, $9 wk.; house girl, Santa Monica, $30, family 3; 2 colored house girls, $30, $35; Swedish house girl, city, $35; 2 house girls, nice country place, $25, $35. Many others. MRS. PATTEN'S (formerly Miss Day) EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 318 S. Broadway.

WANTED—WOMAN COOK FOR SANITARIUM, $45; hotel waitresses, $25; cafeteria girls, $7; arm waitresses, $8; chambermaids, $25; candy girl, $7; nurse girl, beach, $15; 5 assistant house girls, $20; young colored girl for children, $14, and nice home. Apply early ROOM 22, 316 S. Broadway, A3064, Main 1497. Get busy.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED all-round saleslady in general dry goods store; good town near Los Angeles, on electric car line; salary $15 week. Nice position for right party. Please don't apply if you can't meet the above requirements. 525 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—WE ALWAYS WANT TWO OR three extra fine appearing, highly-educated, unincumbered, Protestant ladies for attendants in three doctors' offices, 9 to 5, $50 per week. $200 per month for perfection only. Send photo, write fully. Never too late. 745 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—A LADY WISHES A COMPANION who would assist in light housework; a middle-aged lady preferred; must be refined and have best of references. Write or apply to 2503 MICHIGAN AVE., Boyle Heights. 6

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILLOW tops and art novelties at home; easy and beautiful work; taught free; pays $8 to $16 weekly. Call at store, 754 S. BROADWAY. Woman's National Art Exchange.

WANTED—50 EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES for department store; house girls, $20 to $30 month; girls to assist, $15 to $20 month; vegetable girl in cafe, $7 week. 446 S. HILL ST. Home 65789, Broadway 1377. 5

WANTED—ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; no canvassing. Send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, box 783, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—LADY HOUSE-TO-HOUSE CANVASSERS for best proposition in city. One demonstration and sale is made; $5 per day up. Call or write PEERLESS SPECIALTY CO., 119½ S. Spring st. 5

WANTED—HOUSEGIRL, COMPETENT, 3 in family, no washing, $35; second girl, $25; chambermaid, $30; waitress, $7, $8; many other places. Call early. SWEDISH EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 161½ S. Broadway. 5

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESLADY understanding the china, glass and silverware lines. Apply with references, VOLMER-JANTZEN CO., N.E. corner Seventh and Hill. 6

WANTED — 2 EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAIDS, $25, ROOM AND BOARD. JONES EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 453½ S. BROADWAY. MAIN 5620, F5762. ROOM 16. 5

WANTED — YOUNG WOMAN TO CHECK time reports, contractor's office, out of city, $75 and board. See MR. DAVIS, Catalina Hotel, between 11 and 12 today. 5

WANTED—75 YOUNG WOMEN FOR TELEGRAPH work; experience not necessary. F. D. MACKAY, Manager, 542 Central ave., Los Angeles. 5

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY VIOLINIST and cellist for orchestra work; good salary, with room and board at first-class hotel. Address 467½ 3RD ST., San Bernardino, Cal. 5

WANTED — WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework for country; small family; no washing. Call early at HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 304 E. Second st. 5

WANTED — YOUNG LADIES TO SHELL nuts; good wages. Pacific blvd. car to end, south to PARK LIVERY STABLE, upstairs, Huntington Park, Cal. 5

WANTED — SALESWOMAN, ONE EXPERIENCED in selling toilet articles and perfumes. Apply to Manager, VILLE DE PARIS, 217 S. Broadway. 5

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework, plain cooking; salary $25; must go home nights. Call 4 p.m., 1033 S. FLOWER ST. 5

WANTED—CAPABLE GIRL FOR COOKING and downstairs work. Apply COR. WILSHIRE AND HOBART BLVD. Take Melrose car. 6

WANTED—COMPETENT GENERAL GIRL, family of two, wages $30. New York avenue and Maiden Lane, ALTADENA. Home Phone 2968. 6

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR COOKING and general house work. Small family. Apply 1761 W. 24TH. Take W. Adams car. 6

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED woman to do shopping for large department store. Address X, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED — ALTERATION HANDS ON women's coats and skirts. Apply SUPT., Broadway Dept. Store. 5

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST WITH LIGHT house work in a good home. Call in morning at 435 N. FIGUEROA. 5

WANTED—GIRL TO LOOK AFTER CHILD for few hours day only, for her board. Apply HOME F4790. 5

WANTED—AN ATTRACTIVE YOUNG mother with nursing baby. Call at BABY INCUBATORS' EXHIBIT, 346 S. Broadway. 7

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COLLAR GIRLS, also starch work ironers. Apply at once. YOSEMITE LAUNDRY CO., Pasadena. 6

WANTED—GIRL FOR SECOND WORK AT waiting on table. Apply mornings, 657 WESTLAKE AVE. 5

WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK IN BINDERY. WESTERN LITHOGRAPH CO., 600 E. Second st. 5

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, wages $25. Apply 1131 MAGNOLIA AVE. 5

WANTED—GIRLS TO FOLD CIRCULARS. Must be experienced. 412 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG. 5

WANTED—NURSE FOR CHILDREN. COR. WILSHIRE AND HOBART BLVD. Take Melrose car. 6

WANTED—GIRLS, EXPERIENCED PAPER box makers. RENSHAW, JONES & SUTTON CO., 821 Stephenson ave. 5

WANTED—WAITRESS, EXPERIENCED; NO Sundays. DALY'S, W. Second and Hill. 5

WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK IN BOX FACTORY. Call at 2110½ SANTEE ST. 5

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, small family. 729 W. 7TH. 6

WANTED—A SALESLADY AT 311 SOUTH GRAND. 5

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

MACDONALD'S COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING and Beauty Culture, 204 Mercantile Place, corner Spring. All branches taught by experts. MacDonald's graduates always in demand. 5

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—YOUNG MEN BETWEEN THE ages of 18 and 25 are taught to operate the linotype machine at THE TIMES LINOTYPE SCHOOL, corner San Fernando and College sts., Los Angeles. Good operators are in demand in every section of the country, and the pay is above the average. It is possible to learn it from three to six months. Apply to SCHOOL MANAGER for terms.

WANTED — BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS big. Florentine Hairdressing College, largest school in the West. All branches taught by experts. Join the new class just forming. Reliable; ask any one. Corner Broadway, entrance 227 MERCANTILE PLACE. F7287. 11

WANTED—$4 TO $7 PER DAY FOR PLUMBERS, electricians, bricklayers. We teach you in 4 to 6 months; advanced students paid wages; day or night; get catalogue. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 120 to 126 E. Ninth, Los Angeles.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN; LEARN ARCHITECTURE easily by my new method and earn $25 to $50 weekly. I give personal instruction daily and Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights, 6:30 to 9. Small weekly payments. J. B. COOK, 702 Spring. Offices 219-221. 6

WANTED—LEARN PLUMBING, ELECTRICITY, plastering or brick laying while working for wages on building; tuition $50. Catalogue free. Coyne National Trade School and Construction Co., 8TH AND TEHAMA STS., San Francisco.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—AN INDUSTRIOUS, MARRIED man, between 25 and 40, without children to work on orange orchard; must understand farming and care of horses. Wife to give part time in house; house and water in addition to wages. Apply 2121 BONSALLO AVE., between 11 and 3 Saturday. Take yellow University car. 5

WANTED — A MAN AND WIFE FOR ranch, with no children. Call at 204 N. SECOND ST., early. 5

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, COOK, $70 month, free fare. Call before 8 a.m., 305 E. SECOND ST. 5

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, COMMENCEMENT salary $800. Many examinations soon. Preparation free. Write now. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, EXAMINATION soon. Preparation free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—WORK BY MARRIED MAN, Swedish, handy at anything; good carpenter; plenty of tools, good painter; understands care of horses and cows. Good milker. Absolutely honest and healthy. Address A, box 290, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION, CHAUFFEUR, BY Japanese, speaks English fluently; can run any kind of car and repairing; willing to work beside. City or country. FUJI, 638 S. Olivo. JAPANESE MISSION.

WANTED—SITUATION AS CHAUFFEUR by Japanese, 3 years' shop and road experience; careful driver; do all repairs; sober and steady; best of references; go anywhere. Address IBA, 527½ E. FIRST ST.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND OFFICE man with years of experience, desires position on salary and commission; preferably in real estate office. Address B, box 242, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 5

WANTED—POSITION BY DOUBLE-ENTRY book-keeper and cashier, 15 years' experience in manufacturing company; accurate and reliable. Address B, box 246, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, CAREFUL FAMILY driver, any car, including steamers; do ordinary repairs; good reference. Phone Bdwy. 2562. MARION GAWDER, 721½ W. 6th.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES STEADY position as yard man, house man or dish washer; handy in kitchen work; good experience. Phone Bdwy. 2562. ANDY LYCARRIE, 721½ W. 6th.

WANTED — SITUATION IN CLERICAL line, by steady young man; have slight knowledge in bookkeeping and typewriting; thoroughly honest. Address B, box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, TYPEWRITER, wishes position on large cattle ranch, Arizona or New Mexico; willing to do other work if necessary. Address B, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG BOY WANTS job of any kind, from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m. GEORGE, care Pacific Employment Bureau. Phones F1075, Main 1714. 631 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED newspaper man wants charge small country or city paper, with view of purchasing same. L. D. DENNIS, general delivery, Los Angeles.

WANTED—CANDY MAKER WANTS POSITION; 18 years' experience; sober and neat. Address A, box 295, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE STUDENT WANTS position of light work for his room and board, but no wages, in the vicinity of Pico st. and Westlake ave. 25564. FRANK. 5

WANTED—POSITION AS CLERK IN CLUB or hotel, city or country, by single, sober, reliable man; long experience in clubs. Address B, box 170, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—ADVERTISER, MAN, AGE 40, seeks position; most any honorable occupation; highest references. Address B, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—ENGINEER AND MACHINIST foreman; all repair; best reference; will go anywhere; 26 years' experience. Address A, box 362, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION with private family; can furnish good reference. Address A, box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION with private family car; can operate any gas car, and good reference. Address A, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED — ELDERLY CHRISTIAN MAN wants work, care of horse, cow and place; best of references; moderate wages. Address B, box 141, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — SITUATION; YOUNG MAN, 23, wishes position at anything; best reference and neat appearance. SCHOENOEG, 605 E. 2d st.

WANTED—EXPERT CASHIER AND BOOKKEEPER wants position; best city references; 10 years' experience. Address B, box 19, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS cook and housekeeper, wants position; good English. BETHLEHEM CHURCH, Main 5726, Home A9031. 9

WANTED — SITUATION; YOUNG MAN, 25, wishes position at anything; best reference and neat appearance. GLICKSBERG, 601 E. 2d st.

WANTED—TO GET POSITION AS WAGON woodworker or painter; A1 in both branches; city or country. MORRISON, 740 S. Spring st. 7

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY, A POSITION as house or yard work in country or city; fine English speaker. K. TONEMOTO, 338 Winston st. 7

WANTED—SITUATION, BY A COMPETENT florist and gardener; single German, best of city references. Address GARDENER, 215 Boyd st. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS ADVERTISEMENT WRITER; CAN COMBINE WITH OTHER WORK. A. E. HAEBERTIN, 1478 E. 43RD ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR; will take city collections on percentage basis. Address A, box 149, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION, public or private, good references. Address 2116 N. BROADWAY, Santa Ana, Cal.

WANTED—PORTER WITH REFERENCES, sober and reliable, wishes situation. Address B, box 176, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED—TO GET POSITION AS AUTOMOBILE cleaner, washer. Call up TAKAHASHI, Phone Main 5662 or F4995. 7

WANTED—POSITION AS PORTER IN HOTEL, country or city; best of references. Address ZZ, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 14

WANTED — GOOD JAPANESE LAUNDRY boy in the family. Address W. 7th., phone BROADWAY 1902.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, ETC.; highest grade. WILSON, A9031, Main 5726. (Bethlehem Hotel.) 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GOOD CAMP cook. Address 671 CERES AVE., corner Seventh st. 5

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE SCHOOL boy wants work in nice place. DEJIMA, F6591. Broadway 2557. 5

WANTED — FOR GOOD PAINTER OR paper hanger. Call 318 CALIFORNIA ST., or phone A9636. 7

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, GOOD EXPERIENCED man; good references. Address A, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS COLLECTOR OR any other work. Phone BROADWAY 2182. Good references. 7

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, GERMAN, will take care of place or rent; understands farming. 717 KOHLER ST. 6

WANTED — POSITION, CHINESE COOK, hotel or family. L. LEON, P.O. box 336, Station C. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS TO work in family half day or as school boy. YAMA, 319 Boyd st. Main 3389. 6

WANTED — JAPANESE WANTS POSITION as schoolboy or housework. Home 25066. ITO. 7

WANTED—JOB, BY CARPENTER AND cabinet maker; can prove my ability. E2428. 6

WANTED—HOUSE PAINTING AND TINTING by day or contract. 242 BURTZ ST. 6

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—POSITION AS BUTTER MAKER; am first-class; several years in last creamery, with best of recommendations; want plenty of work where they can afford to pay good wages; would milk if necessary; understand gasoline and steam engines; state wages, family, distance from school. Address B, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION ON SOME LARGE ranch by a young married man; have had 5 years' experience farming in Southern California; also had 3 years' experience with gasoline and steam engines; am not afraid of work; can furnish good reference. Address B, box 241, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 6

WANTED—DO YOU NEED HONEST AND clever man for your shop, firm or business? If so, you can't be sorry; experienced in business, perfect in duty, education, speaks and writes English and French; your trial will be satisfactory. Address B, box 166, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, POSITION with author or playwriter, for the experience only. Will give three or four hours daily without compensation. Address A, box 222, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 8

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION; NEAT, COMPETENT French girl for light housework or care of children, with small American family; speaks French, Spanish, some English; three years with family which is now leaving for Europe; will ask and give best references. MISS M. CAJAL, P.O. SHORB, CAL., OR 'PHONE MAIN 882, ALHAMBRA. PREFER PASADENA OR SUBURBAN TOWN. 7

WANTED—FRENCH DRESSMAKER, EXPERT cutter, fitter and designer of fancy gowns and suits, wishes engagements in or out of the house; high-class work guaranteed, at reasonable prices. 'PHONE BROADWAY 5461. 5

WANTED—BEST JAPANESE GIRL WISHES position as chambermaid for hotel or apartment; many years' experience; speaks well. Address 541 S. LOS ANGELES ST., city. 'Phone Main 5762. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER; light work in small hotel or rooming-house; understands thoroughly the care of house and linen; country preferred. F. W., 444 S. GRAND AVE., Los Angeles. 5

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FROM THE East would like to get addressing at home; is fine penman; can address 2000 envelopes a day. Phone Broadway 3639. Call after 9 a.m. MISS HOLMES. 5

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER'S POSITION BY refined American woman (47) for one or two adults; city or country; no incumbrance; no triflers. HOUSEKEEPER, 212½ Winston st. F5256. 6

WANTED—PEOPLE'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 341½ S. Spring st. 'Phones Broadway 2252, A7764. All kinds of help supplied. Cooks, housegirls, waitresses, chambermaids, etc. 5

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER; run rooming-house, commission or wages; any position of trust. Phone 21577. Address B, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—HAVE SERVED 15 YEARS IN the Red Cross National Association as nurse; I need work; what have you to offer? Address A, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS nurse or will keep house in refined family; terms reasonable. 'Phone East 1815, or address B, box 151, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAID, position in first-class hotel; would not mind leaving city. Address L. Mc., B, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—YOUNG LADY, FIRST-CLASS vest maker, from the East, would like to get vest making at home. Phone Broadway 3639. Call after 9 a.m. MISS PAULSEN. 5

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER or stenographer; 6 years' experience; will leave city; can furnish best of references. Phone BROADWAY 5478. 5

WANTED—POSITION BY MIDDLE-AGED widow woman to care for rooming-house; has had experience. Address 1231 THALIA ST. Mrs. Mary Way. 10

WANTED—UP TO DATE WOMAN DESIRES position of chaperon, companion or secretary for board; references. Address B, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—POSITION, RUNNING ROOMING-house on salary or commission; experienced. Address 1001 E. NINTH ST., or 'Phone L., Main 4562. 5

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER DESIRES POSITION; competent, experience; can assist with books; references. Address T, box 147, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—LADY, EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER and conversant with all details of office work, desires permanent position. Address A, box 163, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED — YOUNG GERMAN WOMAN wants washing and ironing by the day; private family. 'PHONE BROADWAY 1301. Call mornings or evenings. 5

WANTED—SITUATION; REFINED YOUNG woman, housework, small family; no washing or ironing. Address MISS B., Box 744, Whittier, Cal. 5

WANTED—I AM A GIRL, WILLING TO ASSIST in housework in family of adults for small wages; Sundays free. 'PHONE SOUTH 128. 5

WANTED — WASHING, IRONING, HOUSE-cleaning, by competent woman or man. 'PHONE A9639, MAIN 1095. 5

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN WANTS POSITION where she can be home nights. 808 MATEO ST. Miss Ashm. 5

WANTED—YOUR SEWING BY A FIRST-class dressmaker and tailoress. Ring up WEST 5047 for information. 7

WANTED—JAPANESE WOMAN WANTS A situation in a good family as school girl. Call MAIN 3038 or A8202. 5

WANTED—2 LADIES, GOOD WORKERS, wish chamber work, restaurant or housekeepers, position. A7055. 5

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GOOD SWEDISH experienced girl, general housework; no children; wages $30. Call 523 W. 12TH ST. 5

WANTED—A-1 STENOGRAPHER DESIRES permanent position; small salary to start. ROOM 90, Main 2600. 11

WANTED — POSITION BY THOROUGH, competent colored cook, with good references. Call up MAIN 383 or A4369. 5

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WANTS PERMANENT nursing; will help with housework. PHONE 71318. 5

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER; NURSERY governess, business woman, wants any honest work. Tel. TEMPLE 888. 6

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY WITH hospital experience. PHONE A2869. 5

WANTED—POSITION BY AN EXPERIENCED child's nurse. Phone BOYLE 392. 5

WANTED—BY GOOD PRACTICAL NURSE, cases; references. Phone EAST 962. 6

WANTED—YOUNG LADY DESIRES OFFICE position, (experienced.) PHONE 22651.

WANTED — POSITION BY COMPETENT second girl; wages $35. 'PHONE B9880. 5

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED — QUICK SERVICE, COLORED cooks, waiters, porters, mechanics, laborers, general housework; hotel work especially. COLEMAN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 211 E. Second. Phone Broadway 2106, A2879. 6

WANTED—COUPLE, GERMAN, WANTS POSITION; wife good cook, make good bread and housework; man care horses, cows, garden or housework; city, country. E. W., 711 FIGUEROA ST. 7

WANTED—JAPANESE COUPLE WISHES situation, man as cook, wife wait on table and house work; many years' experience; both speak English well. G. T. HARA, 228 Jackson st. 7

WANTED—POSITION BY MAN AND WIFE as cook and helper in grading camp or boarding-house. 'PHONE MAIN 383 or A4869. 5

WANTED—POSITION, JAPANESE COUPLE. First-class cook, house maid, city, country. MARRY, 315 Wall st. 5

WANTED— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT MEN, CAPABLE of earning from $50 to $200 a week; references required. Apply between 1:45 and 2:30 p.m., W. A. GORDON, ground floor, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED — AGENTS; NEW 250-CANDLE power Liberty Light; uses 1 cent gas 6 hours; sells on sight; big profits. PACIFIC GAS MANTLE CO., 541 Waller st., San Francisco. 7

WANTED—LADY AGENT TO SELL AN article all women need; most women buy; something new; easy to sell; big pay. Call at 830 S. HILL. 6

WANTED — INTELLIGENT EDUCATED ladies as agents. Experienced preferred. Good pay to willing workers. 632 WEST 6TH ST., suite 107. 10

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED — PARTNER, PARTY WITH about $300, go partnership with good farmer to raise hogs on alfalfa ranch in Imperial Valley, big money. Address X, box 390, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ARCHITECT and builder, having office, will conduct building department for some live realty company and share profits. Address B, box 263, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 5

WANTED — PARTNER IN LIGHT MANUFACTURING business to sell output to grocers and collect; easy to sell; money-maker. 2306 CENTRAL. 5

WANTED—PARTNER, HONORABLE, CONGENIAL party, fine ground floor office, established real estate business, $400. Address B, box 174, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED—A PARTNER IN COFFEE AND tea business; must have horse and buggy; also a little money. Call between 9-12 a.m., 633 CENTRAL AVE. Call for Bedgood. 5

WANTED—PARTNER IN GOOD, HONEST business that will pay you $150 monthly; short hours, clean, easy work; $350 required. 244½ S. BROADWAY, room 7. 6

WANTED—A PARTNER IN THE REAL ESTATE business; must have experience. Inquire 543 CENTRAL AVE. 5

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER; A BUILDING CONCERN has a demand for more new houses than it can build with its present capital, and wishes to take in a limited partner up to $30,000. All money and transactions put through a reliable trust company. You can be perfectly safe and turn your money three times a year with a 10 per cent. profit on each turn. Best of bank references. Address S.S., box 275, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER TO FURNISH $1000 needed to complete plant; profit $250 to $300 monthly on investment assured by results obtained in small crude plant; proportionate interest given and square deal given and expected. Address B, box 177, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $4000 TO INCREASE business established four years, paying from $500 to $700 per month, that will stand rigid investigation. Address P.O. BOX 587, Goldfield, Nev. 6

WANTED—ADVERTISER WOULD LIKE another to join him in placer mining, with $100. Address B, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—FOUR HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, within six blocks Fourth and Broadway. Address B, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED — TO RENT 25 TO 50 ROOM lodging house, east of Main st., not over $2.50 per room, would consider west of Main st., not over $3.50 per room; we have the furniture ready to put in. Call in person Monday or Tuesday. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 321 Laughlin Bldg. 5

WANTED—A FURNISHED HOUSE IN city of about six rooms, well located; rent must be reasonable. What have you? Address BOX 98, Sawtelle, Cal. 6

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, NICE suite of rooms with private bath, suitable for first-class bath establishment. Address A, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, NICE suite of rooms with private bath, suitable for first-class bath establishment. Address A, box 175, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—TO RENT DESK AND DESK room, with use of phone. Address W. S. ROWLEY. 5

WANTED—TO RENT TENT, FURNISHED for light housekeeping. Address B, box 173, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH E. C. Cribb Co. for quick sale. Lots, houses and small acreage; nothing too small or too large for us to handle. G. W. Connell, manager R. E. department of E. C. CRIBB CO., Tel. Home A2210, Sunset Main 4040. 122 S. Broadway.

WANTED—TO BUY 7 OR 8-ROOM THOROUGHLY modern bungalow or 1½-story; West Adams Heights, Wilshire or Westlake districts preferred. Will pay up to $7500 cash. Send full description and location quickly. Address B, box 261, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LOTS AS FIRST PAYMENT ON a good house and lot in the southwest. If you want a home, here is your chance. List your property with us for quick results. BROADWAY REALTY CO., 519 O. T. Johnson Bldg., Los Angeles. Main 1292, A6386. 5

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A 4 TO 6-ROOM cottage on easy terms, west side, between 16th and Sunset. State full particulars, location, whether east, south or north frontage, only, also cash payment required. Address B, box 3, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—FROM OWNERS ONLY. Bargain lot, Arlington Heights section, for cash buyer; also lot for good A1 second mortgage, $1500, 7 per cent., on Westlake property. Address A, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—TO PURCHASE 5-ROOM MODERN cottage for cash, Boyle Heights, between Fourth and Sixth sts., west of Euclid ave., from owners. FOLLIS & STEAD, 532 Bradbury Bldg. 5

WANTED—WE HAVE BUYERS WAITING for cheap acreage and lots. Don't delay listing if you want a quick sale. BROADWAY REALTY CO., 519 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 5

WANTED—$250 LOT, FOR A HOMESTEAD relinquishment, of 160 acres, fine level land; sickness makes this a snap. OSBURN LAND CO., 405 Chamber of Commerce. 6

WANTED—TO BUY, WANTED AN OWNER to sell me 5 or 10 acres of clear land out near Glendale or La Crescenta. GEO. A. RUTZ, 508-509 Grosse Bldg. 6

WANTED — I HAVE A 60-FT. LOT ON Gramercy Place, value $1300, and cash for lot on Moneta ave., south of Jefferson. R. A. COLLINS, 317 Byrne Bldg. 5

WANTED — A CORNER IN RESIDENCE district for grocery store; prefer Moneta ave.; can make quick deal. R. A. COLLINS, 317 Byrne Bldg. 5

WANTED—GOOD VACANT AND RESIDENCE property, wanted for listing. Call or address BEACON LUMBER CO., 105 West 6th., room 406. 6

WANTED—LANKERSHIM RANCH LAND. Sale or exchange. Call at office, HEWITT STATION, or Broadway Land Co., 432 Mason Bldg. 6

WANTED — SNAP FOR CASH; VACANT lot, close in, southwest. Owners only. Address A, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED LADY WANTS work by the day, sweeping, dusting, mending, etc. HOME PHONE B9866. 5

WANTED — ACREAGE TRACTS OF 500 acres or more. Will consider only snaps. JANSS CO., 330 Pac. Electric Bldg. 5

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — WE BUY ANYTHING YOU don't want, one piece or house full, such as second hand ladies' or gents' clothing, shoes, hats, furniture, carpets, stoves, crockery, glassware, bric-a-brac, trunks, valises, bedding, old gold, silver, brass, copper, lead, tools of all kinds, invalid chairs, sewing machines, orders will receive prompt attention. Call up Home A1224, BROADWAY 4134. 6

WANTED — SECOND HAND CLOTHING, etc. We positively pay highest prices for ladies' and gentlemen's second hand clothing, shoes, trunks, valises, bedding, furniture, carpets, china, glassware, cutlery, revolvers and all manner of sporting goods. Telephone calls will receive propmt attention, A9747, MAIN 2937. 5

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR household and office furniture. Give us a chance to figure on your goods before disposing of them. Largest second-hand store in Los Angeles. JAMES COLGAN & CO., 711 to 715 S. Spring st. Main 2058, F2964.

WANTED—FURNITURE. WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE FOR OFFICE AND GOOD, CLEAN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE IN LARGE OR SMALL LOTS. COLGAN'S, 635 S. Main st., opp. P. E. Depot. Ring up F2467. Main 2469. 5

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WANTED — LUMBER; JOB LOT; EXTRA seasoned clear white or sugar pine, 5 ft. and up lenghts; catch widths; delivered or in car; name quantity, location and lowest cash price. SALYER-BAUMEISTER CO., 296 N. Avenue 20, Los Angeles. 10

WANTED—TO BUY YOUR FURNITURE; one piece or house full and then some; for cash or exchange. We want a good rooming-house and a restaurant outfit. All calls answered promptly. SKEELS BROS., 911 S. Main. F7013. Main 3042.

WANTED—SELL OR EXCHANGE YOUR old furniture. We have thousands of customers waiting to buy it. 'Phone us. Main 1117, Home F3171. COLYEAR FURNITURE CO., 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE AND household goods. If you have one piece or a house full, we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone us. Main 1117, Home F3171. COLYEAR'S, 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED—AN AIR COMPRESSOR AND gasoline engine, suitable for an artesian well. Write particulars and prices to BARELLO BROS. CO., P. O. box 685, Fresno, Cal. 15

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, FURNITURE, carpets, any quantity. Highest cash price paid. RHOADES & RHOADES, 830-832 S. Main st. 'Phones Main 1259, F1158.

WANTED—FOR ART CURIOS, ANTIQUE jewelry, silverware, laces, old paintings and engravings; will pay the highest price. 649 W. WASHINGTON ST., near Figueroa. 5

WANTED — BUY HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS, bankrupt stocks, showcases, desks; cash or exchange. Both 'phones. SKEELS BROS., 911 Main.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, SECOND-HAND furniture, stoves and carpets. See us before disposing; will pay you more. 'Phone Broadway 1791. LEVY'S, 839 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED — HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR household goods; any amount. L. A. AUCTION AND COM. CO., 730 S. Spring and 729 S. Main. F1719; Broadway 1667.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, OLD gold, antiques; highest prices given. H. B. CROUCH, jeweler, 543 S. Broadway.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, ETC.; pay cash; get my offer; fair dealing. H. T. REID. 142 S. Broadway, room 126. A1926.

WANTED — PORTRAIT LENS FOR 4x5. Must be rapid. W. E. BUSH, 439 South Main st., Penny Arcade. 4

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A CLEANING and pressing shop. Address A, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 5

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR second-hand clothing. Main 6800. 132 E. 1ST.

WANTED—DIAMOND SOLITAIRES; PAY cash. SCHEPPS, 444 S. Broadway, room 205.

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WANTED — TO BUY GRANDFA[THER] clock in good order. 2358 W. 24TH ST. ...

WANTED—TO BUY A SANITARY CO[T] ... good condition. Must be cheap. F...

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE, ... quantity. Ring up F8285.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED — RHEUMATISM CASES. W[e] pay cash for them. 306 SAN FERNA[NDO] BLDG.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET— Store in PACIFIC MUTUAL BUIL[DING], 24x80 feet, WITH BASEMENT. Tile ... fine windows. CHEAP RENT. See Manager, room 430 PACIFIC MU[TUAL] BLDG.

TO LET — AT HOTEL OHIO, 321 ... Broadway, opposite Courthouse, ... entrance, elegantly furnished rooms, ... a day, $2.50 weekly and up. Phone ... room, free; also baths. Running hot and ... water. Best place to stop for the ... close to theaters and business.

TO LET — THE WATAUGA, ... first-class large sunny rooms; centrally located, nearly opposite The Times; ... renovated; new management. MRS. ... BARNWELL, 132 N. Broadway. 'Phone ... Broadway 1963.

TO LET — HANDSOMELY FURN[ISHED] rooms and suits, with or without ba[th], ... vator, hot and cold water; rates $4 ... outside rooms. THE ALDINE, 324 ... st. Phone A5316.

TO LET—LARGE, NICELY FURN[ISHED] sunny front room, in upper flat; ... Westmoreland Place; private family; ... from Pico Heights car; very reasonable ... VERMONT AVE.

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED, ... side, sunny room; private family; ... young men; first-class city reference required; Westlake district, walking ... Inquire 702 S. SPRING, room 203.

TO LET — WILL GIVE HOUSEKE[EPING] rooms in modern flat to couple ... boy 6 years old during the day (goes ...) parents employed. Address B, box ... OFFICE.

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ... room in private home, modern conve[niences], beautiful location, Westlake district; ... parlor and 'phone, $10. West 4283. 1119 ... AHOE.

TO LET—CHRISTIAN ROOMING-HO[USE], clean, moral place, in the center of ... rates from 25c to 75c per day; special rate ... week or month. 237 S. MAIN ST., over ... Hall.

TO LET—NEW HOUSE, BRIGHT, ... rooms, housekeeping and single, $1.50 ... hot bath, laundry; walking distance; ... rect to depots. TEN EYCK, 111 S. F...

TO LET—COMPLETE HOUSEKE[EPING] sunny; beautiful home; rates per[manent] adults; Westlake; walking distance. ... LAND AVE.

TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED ... Westlake district, private family, ... accommodations, near two car lines. ... ANGE ST. Phone 51600.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ... porcelain bath, hot water, phone; ... week. Also front room, $2.50 per we[ek]. ... S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM FOR ... keeping; buffet kitchen and large ... $16 per month; nice location; 13th and ... st. Call 1332 S. OLIVE.

TO LET—OPPOSITE WESTLAKE PA[RK], gentleman or visiting people; beautiful room in widow's home. Call 624½ ... ADO ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED, ROOM OR ... or housekeeping; furnished or unfu[rnished]; homelike; walks, lawn; modern; near ... AVENUE 27.

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TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURN[ISHED] room; bath and all conveniences; ... family; $15 per month. 1127 S. FIG[UEROA].

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TO LET—$1.50, $3.50, DESIRABLE ... 834 W. 10TH. Some housekeeping; ... front rooms, $20, with parlor.

TO LET—BRIGHT, CLEAN ROOMS, ... gle or en suite, first-class house; rea[sonable]. 232 S. HOPE ST. The Delvo...

TO LET—SLEEPING ROOMS, $1.50 ... week; furnished housekeeping suites ... sonable. 116 S. HOPE.

TO LET—SINGLE ROOMS, CLOSE-IN ... en house. "THE FORT," 311 ... at Broadway. Gentlemen.

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TO LET—2 FURNISHED ROOMS ... light housekeeping. 635 S. OLIVE ... Phone F5006.

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS ... connecting kitchen; bath and laundry; ... conveniences. 1213 S. OLIVE ST.

TO LET—NICE, NEAT FURNISHED ... $1.50 per week; board if desired. ... OLIVE ST.

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TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS ON ... floor; $4 and $5 a month. 939 S. OL[IVE].

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FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—LOT ON WASHINGTON ST., between Magnolia and Arapahoe st. Inquire at LOUIS VALLET, 625 New High st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—LOT 100x136; 6-ROOM HOUSE; newly painted and papered; fruit trees, at 1236 W. 36th st., $3850. N. TREOSTI, 103 Court st. A5235. 6

FOR SALE—CHOICE RESTRICTED HOME sites in Le Moyne Terraces; lots large and well located, $750 to $1500. I. H. PRESTON, 218 Laughlin Bldg. 11

FOR SALE — CHOICE LOT, HIGHLAND Park Extension, on Avenue 50, at $500. Also double corner, Avenue 50 and Aldama st., $2000. I. H. PRESTON, 218 Laughlin Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—$7000; A WELL ESTABLISHED business corner; splendid location for an investment. Owner. Address L. SAVOY, Hynes, Cal. 6

FOR SALE—SEE LOWRIE FOR EUCLID Heights property; lot $375 and up. Take Euclid ave. car. Leave car at Indiana st. 6

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN; LOT IN Vermont Avenue Square. For particulars phone SOUTH 3981. 6

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON ELWOOD ST., between 16th st. and East Ninth. For particulars PHONE MAIN 7592. 7

FOR SALE—LOT, BOYLE HEIGHTS; CASH and second mortgage. BOYLE 148. 7

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

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BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE PROPERTY.
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$1650—Lenox ave., near Washington; 75 feet, east front; high ground.
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CITY AND BEACH LOTS.
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Cannot pay mortgage due.
$3000 under value. $3000.
Corner on Harvard blvd., between 16th and Pico; street work and sewer paid.
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Phone F3033. 305 Security Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—
A good lot on San Pedro st., in the Mettler tract, about a block and a half from Jefferson st. Want to raise some cash at once, so will make the price right.
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FOR SALE — THAT BEAUTIFUL RESIdence corner lot at W. 23d and Congress ave., at a great bargain; size 50x135 ft. See or phone E. S. GANNON, room 510 Bradbury Bldg. Phone A7802, Main 5055. 5

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FOR SALE — 7-ROOM HOUSE, AT 4531 Staunton ave.; half cash; will take mortgage on balance. Come and see, or call up SOUTH 4342. 6

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

ACREAGE FOR SUBDIVISION. FOR SALE. 5 to 30 acres, close in, car line. BOYLE 148. 7

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE BUSINESS CORner, $5000; owner must sell; look this up; a fine investment; lot 100x130; 2 cottages on the property; income at present $28 month; additional ground for stores. Address A, box 102, TIMES OFFICE. 6

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FOR SALE—50-FOOT CORNER, LOS ANgeles street, business section, small cash payment, balance 10 years, 6 per cent. A. GLEASON, 531 S. Spring st. 6

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Only five minutes' walk to postoffice; fine site for stores, apartments or flat buildings, at present improved with a five room modern cottage which is rented today. This property can be made to pay 20 per cent. on its investment. If you are really looking for a buy and a snap investigate this. Inside property is selling for $4000, and this corner today can be purchased for $3750 on terms; about $1500 under value.
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BUSINESS LOT, 50x136, ON SAN PEDRO ST.; MUST HAVE $3500 WITHIN 10 DAYS. AM SACRIFICING THIS PROPERTY. $2000 CAN REMAIN ON MORTGAGE FOR THREE YEARS. THIS BARGAIN $1500 UNDER ACTUAL CASH VALUE. SEE ME BEFORE 12 A.M.
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$5500—Part southwest property, buys furnishings of 80-room hotel; 3 years' lease, rent $4 a room. Elevator service. Good for $150 clear per month.
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FOR SALE—40 ROOM STEAM HEATED lodging house, $4000, would take clear cottage.
61 room apartment house, cheap rent, $2500 cash or $5000 trade.
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We have several hotel and apartment houses to exchange for houses, lots and ranches, terms arranged on purchases to suit. Money loaned to customers.
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When you want a hotel, apartment-house, or rooming-house, see us, as we have best list in town.
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FOR SALE—OR PART EXCHANGE—A NEW 37-room rooming-house, on business street; always full. M'BRIDE & PATTERSON, 206 Mercantile Place. A5767; Main 8460. 6

FOR SALE—17-ROOM APARTMENT HOUSE, modern, well furnished, nearly new; cheap for cash; owner going East. Call mornings, 672 W. WASHINGTON. 5

FOR SALE — ROOMING HOUSE OF 24 rooms, at a bargain; near Arcade depot and car barn. See owner, 648 CERES AVE. 5

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FOR SALE—KOHLER ROOMING-HOUSE, 21 rooms; must be sold at once; cash, 2302 E. SEVENTH ST. 6

FOR SALE—6-ROOM FLAT; LOW RENT. Bargain hunters, take notice. 640½ OLIVE. 11

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FOR SALE—40 ACRES FROSTLESS FOOThill land, 1½ miles northwest Burbank; finest in Southern California, for winter vegetables; $75 per acre; don't miss this. 3443 McCLINTOCK AVE. Phone B6671. 6

FOR SALE—40 ACRES GOOD LAND, WILL raise anything, near Santa Ana; 80 inches of artesian water; a bargain; will exchange for income property. Address EMIL KIRCHNER, 130 N. Main st. 7

FOR SALE—AN ATTRACTIVE, BEAUTIfully and healthfully situated 40-acre improved ranch for sale cheap. Particulars upon request. DR. M. E. EASTMAN, Santa Barbara, Cal. 6

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL SAN GABRIEL Valley, 1 to 5 acre lots, $10 down and $10 per month; free water; 12 miles from city, on electric car line. J. W. PINNEY, room 4, Orpheum Theater Bldg., 227 S. Spring st.

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FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND BEST ACREage, $375; 100 miner's inches water, with land, in cement pipes; on new electric, northeast. Office 411 S. MAIN, room 2[illegible]. 7

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FOR SALE—

COME IN AND TALK OVER THE ADVANTAGES OF LIVING IN THE GREAT WEALTH-PRODUCING FRESNO COUNTY.

We will convince you that if you want to own the most productive lands in the State or the country for that matter, Fresno county is the place for you to go. Lots of big photographs in our Los Angeles office, and a lot of valuable information. Come in and see the pictures and talk it over and we know you will want to go up and look.

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PIERCE & ANDERSON, LARGEST LAND DEALERS IN SAN JUAQUIN VALLEY. MAIN OFFICE, FRESNO. LOS ANGELES BRANCH OFFICE, 214 MERCANTILE PLACE. 5

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RICH IRRIGATED FARM LANDS, WITH FREE WATER RIGHTS, $35 TO $60 PER ACRE. IMPROVED ALFALFA LAND, $100 PER ACRE, WITH EASY TERMS.
You have probably heard a great deal about PALO VERDE VALLEY LANDS lately, and you probably are aware that THE SOIL THERE IS COLORADO RIVER SILT, WELL SUPPLIED WITH WATER FROM AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM ALREADY DEVELOPED. EVERY TRACT FOR SALE ON THE BLYTHE RANCH IS PROVIDED WITH CANAL FACILITIES, AND IS READY TO BE WORKED. WE GIVE YOU WATER STOCK, WHICH OTHER PEOPLE ARE PAYING $12.50 PER SHARE FOR, WITH EACH ACRE YOU BUY. The most casual examination made on the ground would convince you that VALUES THERE ARE GOING TO INCREASE WITH GREAT RAPIDITY IN THE NEAR FUTURE, and that the result of home building on our property will spell success for you.
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Excursion Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
INTERSTATE LAND CO., 622 South Broadway. Main 8030. Los Angeles, Cal. Home F1605. 5

FOR SALE—30-ACRE TRACT NEAR FULLERTON, 10 ACRES IN ORANGES AND 20 ACRES IN WALNUTS, ALL TEN YEARS OLD; 20 SHARES WATER STOCK. IMPROVED WITH 7-ROOM HOUSE, WITH BATH, BARN, TANK-HOUSE AND WINDMILL; ALL FARMING TOOLS NECESSARY TO RUN THE PLACE, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS, ORNAMENTAL TREES AND FLOWERS. AN IDEAL HOME. ALL READY TO STEP INTO. THIS YEAR'S INCOME OVER $6000; PRICE $19,000. IF SOLD AT ONCE. SICKNESS CAUSE FOR SELLING.
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IN ORDER TO CLOSE OUT OUR TRACT IN CORCORAN, WE ARE MAKING SPECIAL PRICES ON 20 OR 40-ACRE TRACTS, FROM $30 UP, 1-4 CASH, BALANCE TERMS. THIS LAND IS SOLD EITHER WITH, OR WITHOUT WATER; 13 MILES FROM RAILROAD, SHIPPING POINT AND CREAMERY, AND IS LOCATED IN THE BEST FARMING DISTRICT; 8 MILES EAST OF TULARE. IF YOU WANT SOMETHING GOOD, AT THE RIGHT PRICE, SEE US IMMEDIATELY.
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FOR SALE—WHERE CAN THE EASTERN farmer or investors put their money, that will yield as much interest as in a first-class orange grove?
We can sell you one consisting of 7½ acres that will bear the close inspection of any and all experts, located near the beautiful town of Ontario, where acreage is fast growing into value.
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RICH ORANGE SOIL from the CAMPO VERDE COLONY tract, in THE HEART OF THE FAMOUS BELT OF TULARE COUNTY. UNLIMITED WATER. SUPERB CLIMATE. NO SCALE. PROTECTED FROM INJURIOUS WINDS AND PRACTICALLY FROSTLESS.
The SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD HAS A STATION ON THE TRACT, which is 2½ miles south of Porterville. Good hunting and fishing nearby.
$85 PER ACRE, WITH INTEREST IN PUMPING PLANT, $150 PER ACRE. TERMS EASY.
Call or write for free literature and excursion dates.
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FOR SALE—ANY SIZE STOCK, GRAIN, alfalfa or fruit ranches, make a specialty of stock ranches from 1000 to 20,000 acres. 17,000 acres 6 miles from R.R., south of San Francisco, in coast mountains, average rainfall 20 inches; 4000 acres is irrigable land, balance low foothills, covered with white and live oaks, watered by springs and creeks; one-half of the hill land can be plowed for hay or grain, every foot of it will grow the best of table grapes or any deciduous fruit. At present it is a stock ranch, one of the very best earliest beef and carries a creature to 7 acres. This is an ideal country estate and investment at $30. FRANK C. CLARK, 506 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Los Angeles. 6

FOR SALE—HOMESEEKERS.
Before deciding on country lands, see ours. We absolutely own and control our own lands, 5, 10 and 20-acre tracts; under irrigation, now ready to plant; free water, soil deep, rich, level; healthful climate; absolutely no malaria; plenty of water; ideal for oranges, lemons, peaches, grapes, alfalfa, all fruits and vegetables; fine school; close to prosperous town and on main line of S. P. Railroad. We can show you and put you in personal touch with many easterners who have located on our lands and are making a good living. Come and get our illustrated circular and talk it over. Plenty of work for buyers.
S. F. B. MORSE DEVELOPMENT CO., 251 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—
5 acres of high-class property at Whittier, near electric line; one-half of this is out to 13-year-old softshell English walnuts; the irrigation system supplying this land is one of the best in Southern California; no cost for water; this property can be bought for one-third less than adjoining acreage is now selling for. It will pay you to investigate. See MOON, 401-2-3 Citizens' National Bank Bldg., cor. 3rd and Main sts. 5

FOR SALE—620 ACRES OF ORANGE LAND, close to the railroad and 1½ miles from station at $22.50 per acre. This is a fine proposition for subdivision.
40 acres of first-class alfalfa land, with water the year around, at $100 per acre; $1000 down and the balance in 5 annual payments.
80-acre improved dairy ranch, 2½ miles from town, at $100 per acre.
10 acres of ideal orange land, ready to plant, and one mile from town, at only $300 per acre.
10 acres of alfalfa, 2½ miles from town, at $125 per acre.
Address W. E. PREMO, Porterville, Cal. 6

FOR SALE—SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY BARGAINS. 160-acre ranch, 5 miles from Stockton; beautiful home; all kinds fruit, shade trees, 40 acres alfalfa, engines, machinery, stock; at sacrifice. 320 acres to subdivide, 12 miles from Stockton, on S. P. R.R., station; store and postoffice ½ mile; $30 per acre; ½ cash. 112-acre improved ranch, near Stockton; 10 acres bearing vineyard, fruit, etc.; finest soil in county; large house and barn; 4 fine wells; $12,000. WM. S. MILLER, 13 S. Hunter St., Stockton, Cal. 11

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE — 3000 ACRES IN ONE BODY choice orange land, very superior, perhaps more so than any other tract in the State for early oranges, marketable in October; can all be irrigated from adjacent water; situated between Oroville and Placer county; being surveyed for two miles across for an electric line; admirably situated for colonizing; will be sold on easy terms. Apply to F. P. McLENNON, 117 Geary st., San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE—160 ACRE SNAP, $47.50 PER acre; one-third cash; grand soil; one mile to center of booming town of Delano; on main line of S. P., in famous San Joaquin Valley. House, barn, chicken pens, two windmills, pumping plant and trees, both citrus and deciduous, vines, etc.; worth $100 per acre. Fare refunded if you buy. EDWIN ALDERSON, Delano, Cal.

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LEVY'S, Phone Broadway 1791. 5

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$50,000 TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE, IN sums to suit, at 7 per cent. Money ready if you have security. Prompt attention; no red tape; mortgages, trust deeds and contracts bought. DOLPH T. MITCHEL, 430 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG. 'Phone A5644. Established 1893. 15

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MONEY WANTED— On Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY. $40,000 to $50,000, 1, 2 or 3 years, at 12 per cent. per annum net interest, payable monthly or quarterly, secured by first mortgage or trust deed on property in the town of Williams, Coconino county, Ariz., a town of 2000 inhabitants, with two railroads.

First. Water plant with 15,000,000-gallon water reservoir, consisting of 160 acres of land in a canyon forming a natural water reservoir, now confined with good, substantial dam and with ample capacity to supply the entire town, and with a complete system of pipes for the distribution of said water, already installed and in use.

Second. The electric light and power plant, already in, and now supplying the entire town with day and night circuit and fully equipped.

Third. The telephone plant now supplying the entire town.

Fourth. The sewer system of the entire town.

The corporation desiring this loan have all the rights, franchises and privileges duly and legally granted to it for operating all of the above, given under authority of law duly granted and authorized by the town of Williams, county of Coconino, Ariz. The present income from the above plants is now $1500 per month and which can be increased to $2500 by contemplated improvement, which will be made with this money when borrowed.

The value of the plant is now $85,000 and when completed with this money, it will be $125,000.

These plants are duly installed and have been running for some time and are giving entire satisfaction to the entire town.

Full investigation courted and railroad fare paid to party who will investigate.

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Without cost to you we will safely loan your money on first mortgages or deeds of trust on Los Angeles improved real estate or ranch property, worth two, three and four times amount loaned at 7 to 10 per cent. per annum net interest. Placing the funds of ladies and inexperienced persons honestly, safely and profitably a specialty. Money escrowed with title insurance company on all loans. We always have bank stocks, street improvement bonds and fine investment stocks and bonds for sale. Insurance placed. Wills, deeds, mortgages, homesteads and all legal papers correctly drawn. ADVICE FREE. NOTARY IN OFFICE. REFERENCES: Hundreds of satisfied clients, Title Insurance & Trust Co., Title Guarantee & Trust Co., Los Angeles Abstract Co., First National Bank. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

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$1250—3 years, 8 per cent., E. Adams st. near Central; desirable residence; value $4000.
$1600—Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena, residence, just sold for $4500.
$1900—28th st. near San Pedro, 6-room cottage, 8 per cent., value $4000.
$5500—West Adams corner, 2 years, 8 per cent., value $12,500.
$1250—Vacant lot, West Adams st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$3500—New 2-story, 10-room residence, near Pico st.; 3 years, 7½ per cent.; value $7500.
$1250—49th st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$1350—52d st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$1350—53d st., near Vermont, new cottage, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$900—Avenue 29, near Pasadena ave., value $3000; house.

Insure with us. We are agents for the Law Union and Crown Insurance Company of London, and English-American Underwriters. Combined assets forty million dollars. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. 5

WANTED—MONEY— We have for sale a good trust deed $600; also one for $750, representing about 40 per cent. value of the property, and first liens. These drawing 8 per cent. THE BURCK-GWYNN COMPANY, 333 South Hill st. 6

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WANTED—MONEY. $3000—At 8 per cent., on acreage, close in, at Glendale, with long frontage on electric line; good value, $12,000. LE GRAND BETTS, 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 7

WANTED—$10,000 FOR 2 YEARS AT 18 PER cent., with privilege of paying it off in one year; secured by $[illegible] oil refinery in one of the best oil fields in the State; the above plant could not be bought for $100,000. Address X, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — TO BORROW $6500 AT 8 PER cent. on new 34-room apartment-house, close in, just west of Main, worth $15,000; also $1300 on new cottage on 41st, just sold for $3500. Call 240 E. 29TH. 'Phone B2712 or South 5480. No agents. 6

WANTED — LOAN TODAY; MUST HAVE $995 this morning; will return $1200 in 90 days; security $25,000; real estate first mortgage; bonus $100. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 5

WANTED — TO BORROW $1100 AT 8 PER cent., 3 years. Will give as security first mortgage on four-room plastered cottage and lot, worth $2200. H. ZENAS TILLOTSON, 133 Bryson Bldg. 7

WANTED—LOAN $4000, 3 YEARS, ON INcome property, close in, worth two or three times amount of loan. See IOWA REALTY & INVESTMENT CO., F. W. Hart, President, 433 Stimson Bldg. 'Phone A5344. 5

WANTED—HAVE CLIENT WANTING A loan of $35,000, 7 per cent. net, 2 or 3 years, on gilt edge security. ROBERT F. JONES, 612 Fay Bldg. Phones A7928; Main 3282. 13

WANTED — WE CAN PLACE PRIVATE money on first-class mortgages; our own selections and valuations. MR. SMITH, C. F. W. PALMER, 402 Fay Bldg. 5

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WANTED—$1800 FOR FIRST-CLASS 8-PER-cent. country loan. C. F. W. PALMER, 402 Fay Bldg. See MR. SMITH. 5

WANTED—MONEY; $300 AND $500 ON GOOD security, second mortgage; 3 years. PHONE SOUTH 3690. 5

WANTED—TO BORROW $700 ON CHATTEL mortgage. 1544 NEWTON ST.

MONEY WANTED— On Collaterals.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO LOAN apply to the Trust Department of the Columbia Trust Company. We use the same care to make loans for our clients as in making loans of our own funds. COLUMBIA TRUST CO., 311 W. Third st. Phone Ex. 525.

STOCKS AND BONDS— And Mortgages.

FOR SALE—HOME TELEPHONE BONDS. 5 per cent. first mortgage gold bonds, Telephone Company of Ventura county, California; any sum up to $6000 at 90 cents on dollar; a fine investment. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner 3rd and Spring. 6

$100,000 TO PURCHASE BANK STOCKS. Cash for any good stocks or bonds. Railroad stocks and bonds wanted. Street improvement bonds wanted. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 505 Douglas Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE— 2½ shares 1st National at $430. 25 shares National Bank California at $170. 37 shares Wells Fargo Express Co. at $250. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 505 Douglas Bldg., cor. 3rd and Spring. 6

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts.

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HAVE A CUSTOMER FOR 3 2-CYLINDER and 2 4-cylinder 5-passenger automobiles; if you have the above come and see us. No charge for storage. Fine repairing at reasonable rates. GILLESPIE AUTO CO., 1250 Los Angeles st., corner Pico. 11

FOR SALE—TWO SWELL LITTLE 1908 roadsters, 2-cylinder, 16 H.P., shaft drive; only run about 150 miles; cost each over $1300; sacrifice for less than half. Act quick. LOS ANGELES AUTOMOBILE WAREHOUSE, 1122-1124 S. Main st. F5200. 5

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WANTED — FOUR-CYLINDER AUTOMObile for business lot in Newport Beach, value $500 to $1000. Might put in some cash. Must be good value. Address A, box 201, TIMES OFFICE. 6

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WANTED—BROKEN DOWN OLDSMOBILE runabout, for experiment. State spot cash price; otherwise no attention. Address B, box 250, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. 6

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Blank forms for making the above mentioned verified claims can be had at the office of John M. York, attorney for the undersigned Receiver, Room 528 Mason Building, corner Fourth and Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

GEORGE MASON, Receiver.

Dated November 30, 1908.

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Woman Who Caused Arrest of Michigan Preacher for Eloping With Sister-in-Law Testifies in His Behalf—Affinity Hangs Her Head When Asked to Confess Love.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

IONIA (Mich.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After having caused the arrest of her husband, Rev. William Cummings, who is accused of having eloped with his sister-in-law, Volva Taylor, last August, the deserted wife went on the witness stand and proved to be the star witness for the defense. With pathetic eagerness she hastened to defend her husband from any charges of wrongdoing. She declared that Volva was possessed of an insane infatuation for her husband and had followed him to Sault Ste. Marie.

Her evidence was partially substantiated by that of the father of the two girls, Dr. Charles Taylor. He stated that Volva became strongly attached to Cummings while he was courting her sister, Mabel, and that she continued to manifest her affection for him even after he was married to Mabel.

Some of these demonstrations were made in the presence of the wife. He said that when Volva learned that Cummings was engaged to Mabel she attempted to end her life by taking poison, but was saved by taking an overdose.

Volva Taylor was put on the stand. Prosecuting Attorney Sheldon said he desired to ask her but one question:

"Are you still infatuated with Cummings?"

A dead silence was heard. She hung her head. On cross-examination Volva corroborated in general the story of the elopement or flight to the North.

HOPES TO GET TREASURES.

Mrs. Gardner Will Have to Pay $150,000 to Regain Art Collection Seized by Government.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. John L. Gardner hopes to regain the wonderful collection of art treasures which were seized by the United States government when her friend, Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne of Chicago, brought them into this country as "household goods."

Today for the first time Mrs. Gardner's position is made clear through her Boston attorney, Henry W. Swift.

"I do not know that Mrs. Gardner has presented any proposition to the United States Court in Chicago," said Mr. Swift. "I know nothing about the Chicago proceeding. Mrs. Gardner has been assured that she need not worry about her art treasures at all; that the attorneys looking after Mrs. Chadbourne's interests are looking after hers. Mrs. Gardner hopes that she will have them, but she will not have so much money as she has now by some $150,000 in fines, which must be paid the Federal government."

BOY PREVENTS WRECK.

Finding Towerman Unconscious Lad Throws Lever Closing Gates Against Auto.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PATERSON (N. J.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] But for the presence of mind of a 12-year-old boy in promptly closing the gates on the Newark branch crossing of the Erie Railroad at Clay street this afternoon, after the towerman had been suddenly stricken at his post, a collision between a fast express and automobile would have occurred, with possible loss of life.

Willie Somers, the boy, shortly after 5 o'clock, carrying the towerman's lunch, stumbled across the form of Dunlap, who was lying unconscious on the tower floor. Just at this moment the boy heard the rumbling of the approaching train. He jumped over the prostrate form and pulled the rods, closing the gates, thus bringing the automobile up with a sudden halt as the train whirled past.

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SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.

CAPTURED IN DESERT CHASE.

Aqueduct Workman Pots Cook and Escapes.

Trail Is Over Two Counties; Fight for Woman.

Wife Wins in Double Divorce; Valley News.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A man chase of 150 miles across two counties, the Mojave Desert and over the Sierra Mountain Range into the South Fork country, ended successfully when Constable Bert Night of Kernville arrested Jones Ward, a big cow puncher and dead shot, on the Onyx-Kernville road, as Ward was making a desperate attempt to escape justice for shooting Pat Cummings, a camp cook, at Cottonwood station, on the Los Angeles aqueduct line in Inyo county. Ward was turned over to the custody of Sheriff Naylor of Inyo county.

When arrested Ward was heavily armed, carrying Colts of 44-caliber and Smith & Wesson 38-caliber hammerless revolvers. He had plenty of ammunition, and in his pockets were two pair of wire nippers, which he used in cutting through wire fences that barred his path.

Ward was an aqueduct laborer employed at the Cottonwood power-house in Inyo county. He and Cummings quarreled about a woman whom Ward was entertaining. Cummings did not like her, and told Ward he would have to take his friend from the kitchen. They quarreled, and Ward drew a knife. The following morning Ward called Cummings to the kitchen door, and, telling him that he (Ward) was going to shoot Cummings's "props" away, fired once, the bullet taking effect in Cummings's right leg.

Ward mounted his horse and rode to Lone Pine, where he remained in hiding until Sunday, when he started for Kernville, and the officers took up the chase. Ward claims he only shot in self-defense after Cummings attacked him with a knife.

SCANDAL AND DIVORCE.

Kissie Young, wife of C. E. Young, the former Washington society lion and secretary to Senator Daniel of Virginia, now in jail in Los Angeles for passing worthless checks, was granted a final decree of divorce day before yesterday. The marital woes of the Youngs were many and varied. Mrs. Young was a member of a prominent local family, her brother being Jay Ransch, for two years America's premier jockey.

The culmination was reached in February, 1907, when Young returned to his home at the Southern Hotel in this city and discovered Senator Grenwell of Santa Barbara in Mrs. Young's room. The solon was forced to make a hasty retreat, and the scandal stirred the valley as well as Capitol circles for some time. Young instituted a suit for divorce, but Mrs. Young, filing a cross-complaint, nonsuited him; alleging cruelty, failure to support and drunkenness, and secured her interlocutory decree.

Since leaving her husband she has been living with her mother, Mrs. Scholl, who conducts a lodging-house in Los Angeles. They have one child, a daughter, which was awarded to the wife. George W. Whitaker of this city was Mrs. Young's attorney.

COURT IS BATTLE GROUND.

The California-Kern Oil Company, the women stockholders of which recently ousted D. A. Mack, the local superintendent, from the board of directors, was made defendant today in a suit filed by F. W. Black for $6413.41, alleged due on account of goods. The claim was assigned to Black by the National Supply Company. The property is in the hands of a receiver.

Rebecca Guerrero, 13 years old, who is the prosecuting witness against Frank Valencia for rape, took the stand this morning. She is a deaf mute and gave her testimony through an interpreter. Valencia, who testified later, flatly contradicted the story told by the girl.

HEADQUARTERS HERE.

H. A. Jastro, president of the American National Live Stock Association, which holds its annual meeting in Los Angeles, January 26, 27 and 28, expects to open headquarters in the southern city early next month and will devote considerable time in preparing for the big gathering. The headquarters of the association are at Denver, but they will soon be moved to Los Angeles until after the session.

A petition to the County Board of Education, signed by all the faculty of the high school, asking for a change in the time of the Christmas vacation, has been presented. It was intended to close the schools on Christmas eve, but this plan did not suit the teaching force, many of whom desire to attend the convention of pedagogues in Southern California the following week, and they ask for the closing on December 17. "I guess not many of them will attend the convention," said one of the board members drily, "but we had better give them their way."

SHOOTING TRAGEDY.

With the 2-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. F. Buhn in his arms, Frank U. Dalby, a well-known young man of Mojave, was killed late Sunday afternoon by the accidental discharge of his own shotgun. He fell from the buggy in which he, the child and a companion were riding, dragging the little one with him. Death was instantaneous. The child was uninjured.

Dalby started from Mojave to the Echo mine on business. His companion, Frank Acosta, was driving, while Dalby held the child in one arm and his gun in the other. He carried the weapon to shoot game, should they come across any. They met a friend, M. L. Howell, driving in the opposite direction, several miles out of Mojave, and in pulling up the horse the gun fell from Dalby's grasp and was discharged. The shot tore away the right shoulder and back of the unfortunate man's head. He was buried in Mojave Tuesday. The verdict of the coroner's jury was accidental shooting. He was 39 years old and a native of Missouri.

MEETING POSTPONED.

L. P. St. Clair, president of the local Independent Sales Agency, and W. R. Robb, the secretary, returned from Los Angeles this morning where they had been for several days in the interest of the contemplated State Agency. The meeting for organization, which was to have been held in this city December 10, has been postponed indefinitely, these gentlemen announce, because of the near approach of the holidays. Many of the southern oil men who are most vitally interested and anxious to participate, find that because of the holiday season they will be unable to attend the meeting if held on that date, and rather than begin the new organization inauspiciously, the date of meeting has been postponed.

The Santa Fé-Midway Oil Company has elected the following officers: G. A. Hatfield, president; Tom Lee, secretary; M. Sullivan, Joe Kelly and F. H. Hall, directors.

The Johnson Oil Company has been organized to develop the old 400 property in section 7 at Sunset. The company headquarters are in Fresno. Ralph Whittiken, a well-known local superintendent, has been placed in charge of the work, and drilling will begin shortly. The Johnsons have held the property for some time. A dry hole represents the former work, but this is due to bungling in drilling and not necessary barenness of oil.

BAKERSFIELD NOTES.

Frank Free, the daring driver of the Sunset racing auto, and Frank Murray, who handles the little four-cylinder Buick "White Streak," both of which cars participated in the auto race meet here last week, left this morning overland for San Francisco, where they have been entered in the Tanforan races.

A force of men and teams has been at work for several days grading and repairing the principal streets in Delano.

The Ladies' Aid Society of McFarland will give a social during Christmas week in the town hall in the new settlement in the northern part of the county.

The rabbit drive which was to have been held near Delano and McFarland last Saturday has been postponed indefinitely on account of the cool weather.

F. L. Burkhalter, for the past two years resident engineer at the local headquarters of the Southern Pacific, has been promoted to a like position in Los Angeles, and H. B. Titcomb, resident engineer of Los Angeles, will succeed A. D'Heur as district engineer. F. D. Norman of Tucson will succeed Burkhalter.

DOUBLE WEDDING.

NEWS NOTES FROM TULARE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

TULARE, Dec. 2.—A double wedding took place Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Calcote, four miles north of Visalia. The principals were Miss Ora Calcote and Stack McNay, and Miss Cecil Ward and John Daley. Rev. A. L. Baker officiated.

Articles of incorporation of the Tulare Lake and West Side Irrigation Company have been filed with the County Clerk of Kings county. The company is incorporated for $5,000,000. Its purpose is to take water from Tulare Lake and convey it by means of canals to the arid lands of the west side.

Much activity is manifest in the culture of the eucalyptus in this city. A large force is now engaged in transplanting the nursery stock on the farm in the eastern section of the city. The company is paying $520 weekly in wages.

The Rochdale store is getting overhauled and will be refitted with display windows and modern conveniences.

JOTTINGS.

BEGIN WAR FOR A DRY SUNDAY.

HANFORD BOARD TO CONSIDER MEASURE MONDAY.

Health Officer Asserts That Three-quarters of the Milk Sold in Kings County Is Impure—Interest in Drilling for Oil Is Spreading Over the District.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HANFORD, Dec. 2.—Ordinance for the regulation of the saloons in this city, which is being prepared by City Attorney Irwin in persuance of a resolution of the board at its last session, will be presented for passage by the City Trustees Monday. The ordinance will call for the closing of all liquor houses at midnight on weekdays and from 11 o'clock Saturday night till 5 o'clock Monday morning.

It is expected that the liquor interests will make a hard fight against Sunday closing, but according to the expressed determination of the board as outlined in the resolution, any fight against the enactment of the ordinance will be useless.

The report of Health Officer Musgrave will also come up for action, and it is probable that some steps will be taken to bring about an inspection of the milk sold in Hanford. In his report, submitted at the last meeting of the board, Dr. Musgrave said: "From my observations I find that absolutely no pure milk is being delivered in Hanford. Fully 75 per cent. of it is adulterated and it might be said that there is something the matter with all of it." His declaration was based upon investigations which he has been pursuing since last June. He found, according to his report, several instances where preservatives had been used by the dairymen and an average of 12 per cent. of all the milk he tested was water. He recommended several methods of putting a stop to the sale of doctored milk and it is probable that the board will adopt some measures at its meeting next Monday night.

WAR ON HOBO.

The Trustees also resolved to put the hobos who have been in the habit of lounging about in the parks till arrested as vagrants, and given free lodging or "floated" out of town, to work on the city streets on a "wholesome" diet of bread and water. This treatment will no doubt result in the riddance of the "weary" element, and at least those few who are unfortunate enough to strike Hanford without knowing about the chain gang, will work out their board and lodging and not be a burden on the taxpayers.

The plentiful showers of last week and this have been a source of much joy to the farmers, for rain came at the time when it was most welcome. The ground has been too hard to permit of much success at winter plowing, but the recent rainfall has put the earth in good condition and the farms will be busy places the next few weeks.

FOURTH ANNUAL SHOW.

The fourth annual show of the Kings County Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association opened Wednesday morning and bids fair to be a success from every point of view. Six hundred or more fowls are on exhibition and while this is not quite as large as the entries last year, yet the number of varieties and strains is greater, and what little may be lost in quantity is more than made up in class. Robert J. Venn of Fresno, an expert, judged the stock Wednesday, and the various coops are decorated with ribbons showing the winnings of the fowls within. Kings county poultry has swept everything before it in all the shows in the valley this year, and the local exhibition is said by out of town poultrymen to be the best ever held in this part of the State. Many birds from nearby counties are entered and the competition for the prizes was keen. The show closes Saturday night.

The Kings County Chamber of Commerce, the promotion body which will succeed, the Kings County Promotion Association, will be organized next Tuesday night, at which time the Promotion Association will pass out of existence, its limited field of action having been outgrown in the progress of the "boosting" movement in this county. The Chamber of Commerce will be on a much broader and substantial plan and much good work is expected of it when fully organized.

The members of the Promotion Association are being solicited to join the new body, and are responding almost to a man, and many new members are being secured. Secretary Stearns is very optimistic as to the outcome of the organization, and expects a rousing meeting Tuesday night, at which time the election of officers will be held and a permanent secretary will probably be selected.

HUNTING OIL.

There is much activity in the southwestern part of this county in a search for oil, and several companies which will drill prospect holes have been incorporated, the stockholders being principally local men who are interested in the Coalinga and Kern fields. The Lake View Oil Company has a well down 840 feet, ten miles south of Huron and the stockholders believe they have a good thing. In fact this company is buying up all the patented land surrounding its holdings that is obtainable. W. S. Cather, who has operated extensively in both the Kern and Coalinga fields; Senator G. W. Cartwright of Fresno, who has extensive interests in the Coalinga field; W. J. Elwood, who first struck oil in the Kern River fields; William Livermore, and Superintendent Rush of the American Hospital, are among the principal stockholders in this company and they seem much pleased with the outlook.

ENCOURAGING.

WATER REWARD COMES AT LAST.

HUNDRED-INCH WELL DEVELOPS SUCCESSFULLY.

Antelope Valley, in Tulare County Citrus Belt, at Last Gets Life-giving Fluid—Thousands of Dollars Expended to Bring About Desired Result.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VISALIA, Dec. 2.—After boring for water over a period of many years, involving the expenditure of many thousands of dollars, water has finally been found in Antelope Valley. A 100-inch well has been developed and the prospects of its holding up to its present flow are considered bright, as this is the season of the year when the water level is at its lowest. Antelope Valley is located in the Tulare county citrus belt and the land is considered as just as good as any that can be found in the whole county, and much better than most. If the well holds up it will mean the opening up of several thousand acres.

In the Visalia land office today Mary E. Tuft of Mendota, made desert land entry to the northwest quarter of section 27-15-14.

FAIR AT EXETER.

The third annual Tulare County Citrus Fair was opened last night at Exeter with an address by John P. Irish of San Francisco. It is the most successful of its kind ever held in this portion of the State. Exeter, Lindsay, Porterville, Lemon Cove, Dinuba, Orangehurst, Naranjo and Three Rivers, comprising the different communities in Tulare county's citrus belt, have all installed exhibits and have vied with each other in the elaborateness of their displays. The exhibits to be seen at Exeter make up by far the greatest display of citrus fruits ever shown in the San Joaquin Valley.

REFUSE TO TALK.

The men who are boring for oil in the vicinity of Orosi refuse to talk about their operations. Much secrecy is being maintained about the work and no information relative to the depth of the boring or kindred matters is given out. It is known, however, that the boring is not progressing as rapidly as was expected, and that the well is down between 250 and 400 feet. Skeptics are predicting that granite will be struck before long and that will see the end of oil operations in that vicinity. Those back of the boring appear to be equally as confident, however, that nothing of the kind will happen and that the oil will be found.

CONTAGIOUS GAME.

MOJAVE HAS TAG DAY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

MOJAVE, Dec. 2.—Tag day, which has been set for December 5, will be observed in Mojave as in the other principal towns of the county. The ladies who will do the tagging are Mrs. John Redd, Mrs. George Pipplit, Mrs. W. M. Cole, Mrs. W. W. Speakman, Mrs. M. H. Preble, Mrs. J. Franklin, Miss Anna Fries, Mrs Rose McFarlane, Miss Agnes Graham, Miss Lizzie McFarlane and Miss Mae Williamson. The proceeds will be turned over to the Children's Shelter in Bakersfield and will go to the building fund of the institution.

The Mojave baseball players added another victory to their conquests on the diamond Sunday by defeating the Tehachepi team, 7 to 0. A return game will be played next Sunday.

The Los Angeles Aqueduct Company has just established a new camp at Fram, about three miles from Mojave.

Coffide & Nestor are erecting a new stone and brick store building on Main street.

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"You did?" exclaimed the gentleman with sparkling eyes. "And with what success?"

"Stelvio, who has always the air of an Edgar of Ravenswood, turned red, then pale, looked at Margot, then at me, then at her again. She, too, blushed, but I am glad to say, stood by me prettily. She said that Far Nients always seemed to her the one sealed page in the perfect poem of the Lake. 'It is a very ragged page, Miss Methuen. Blurred and shabby and blotted with sad hieroglyphs, but always open to you and your friends, if you deign to look at it,' said Edgardo, as if he were laying at her feet. And then, just as we had got to the crucial point as it were, what do you suppose that provoking girl did? Drew off coldly, declaring that nothing was farther from her thoughts than invading his privacy, and he said no more. And so, I am as remote as ever from seeing the inside of the mysterious mansion."

"I could wish for a glimpse or certain early editions I know to be in his hands," said Mr. Lee, pensively. "But if one meets a man, day after day, as we do, and he never says a word leading up to an invitation, what is one to do?"

"I honestly believe Stelvio is afraid to show Miss Methuen the extent of his poverty, poor man," exclaimed Mrs. Clandeboye. "Fancy inviting such a girl to go to housekeeping among broken-nosed statues in a mouldy grotto underneath a waterfall."

"It is a bad place for those bindings," pursued Mr. Lee, who thought very little of girls and their requirements when there was question of precious books.

Countess Fleury, in the first interval of tiring of her young artist, asked them all to dinner at the chateau. Mr. Lee and Mrs. Clandeboye were sitting on the terrace having their coffee and cigarettes, while from the drawing-room floated out the strains of Schumann's Traumerei agreeably played upon the 'cello by the Frenchman to the accompaniment on the piano of their versatile hostess. During this interlude Margot Methuen and later, Stelvio, left the ground around the performers and went over to a window opening upon the garden to look out into dewy vistas where countless roses slumbered beneath the stars, and near by, a nightingale sang in a thicket of rhododendron.

"One could count the oranges in that tree," exclaimed Margot, under her breath. "They look, in this light from inside, as if carved in amber against the jade green of the foliage. How intensely beautiful the night is. How restful, how uplifting."

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"You did?" exclaimed the gentleman with sparkling eyes. "And with what success?"

"Stelvio, who has always the air of an Edgar of Ravenswood, turned red, then pale, looked at Margot, then at me, then at her again. She, too, blushed, but I am glad to say, stood by me prettily. She said that Far Niente always seemed to her the one sealed page in the perfect poem of the Lake. 'It is a very ragged page, Miss Methuen. Blurred and shabby and blotted with sad hieroglypha, but always open to you and your friends, if you deign to look at it,' said Edgardo, as if he were laying at her feet. And then, just as we had got to the crucial point as it were, what do you suppose that provoking girl did? Drew off coldly, declaring that nothing was farther from her thoughts than invading his privacy, and he said no more. And so, I am as remote as ever from seeing the inside of the mysterious mansion."

"I could wish for a glimpse of certain early editions I know to be in his hands," said Mr. Lee, pensively. "But if one meets a man, day after day, as we do, and he never says a word leading up to an invitation, what is one to do?"

"I honestly believe Stelvio is afraid to show Miss Methuen the extent of his poverty, poor man," exclaimed Mrs. Clandeboye. "Fancy inviting such a girl to go to housekeeping among broken-nosed statues in a mouldy grotto underneath a waterfall."

"It is a bad place for those bindings," pursued Mr. Lee, who thought very little of girls and their requirements when there was question of precious books.

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The song ended. Stelvio abruptly arose from the piano, and strode through the group of people who surrounded him clamoring for "just one more." He saw Margot taking flight at his approach down an alley of roses grown over a trellis, and stopped short upon the threshold. She, realizing that flight meant confession, returned slowly to meet him. When they were together, he perceived that in her eyes were ears.

"I—I—have made you weep!" he exclaimed incoherently—"When I would give the whole world to cause you happiness."

For a brief moment their young hearts came perilously close together in one of those sweet silences in which, as the Russian proverb says, "one may hear the trail of one's good angel's wing." Margot, womanlike, was the first to recover herself.

"You have already given me great happiness," she said, steadily and gently. "First, by your perfect singing, and next, that we are to visit your home tomorrow."

"Stelvio!" called Countess Fleury, fluttering the rare laces made for her dainty self at Burano, out in search of them. "I cannot consent—I really can't—to your tantalizing my guests like this. You must come back and give us that thing from Pagliacci. I know you. You are just in the mood to do your best tonight." But Stelvio was mutinous until Margot's eyes looked beseechingly into his.

"Yes, do, Count Stelvio!" she exclaimed. "I agree with Countess Fleury. You will do your best with it."

And Stelvio sang. When he had finished, while people sat in charmed silence, he again abruptly left the room. There was literally nothing but for the evening to break up. A calling for wraps and boatcloaks ensued, servants skurried down to the watersteps with lanterns, illuminated boats were brought into line until the water all around the landing was punctured with long dazzling spirals of many colors, shrouded forms placed themselves one after the other into the jaunty crafts that successively glided out into the lake!

As Margot followed Mrs. Clandeboye to their launch, a man's shadow was projected upon the space of light between two reflector lanterns placed on either side the landing stage. A warm strong hand came out of jasmine-scented darkness to grasp hers, and assist her down the steps. For a moment, she let her fingers lie within his happily. All seemed well with the world and right with her, so long as the current of their two young lives pulsed together. Night—here charged with color, sweet rippling sound, exquisite fragrance—had closed around them. All hateful images and jarring thoughts were banished. The tremor produced by his passionate voice still rang in her veins like quicksilver!

Then resolutely she loosed her hand from his, and sprang into the launch.

"A demain!" she cried, in a joyous voice.

"A demain!" he echoed, and the launch was off upon the dark and silent stream. Even Mrs. Clandeboye remained under the spell of their late experience. Without words the two women lay back on their cushions and let themselves be carried swiftly through the gloom. As they were passing Villa Far Niente the voice of their boatman broke the magic spell.

"Look, Signorina!" he said in his queer hoarse whisper. "Yonder, in Count Stelvio's chamber, the lamp is still burning before his mother's crucifix. Some say it's because her soul is not at rest. Chi lo sa? I give you what we people talk about in our homes on winter evenings when the tourists are gone, and the pleasure boats lie up in dry dock. Chi lo sa!"

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

FROM TUCSON.

MEXICAN LINE NEARLY READY.

GUADALAJARA RAILROAD OPENS APRIL FIRST.

Nogales Preparing for Rush of Business Over Route—Pioneer Machinery and Foundry Firm Goes Into Bankruptcy — School Teacher Leaves Town Much in Debt.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—According to M. O. Bicknell of the Randolph lines, the Guadalajara Railroad will be complete and open for business between Culiacan and Mazatlan by April 1, next. Grading is progressing from Mazatlan north, though the main force is working southward. The date of the formal opening of the Nogales-Cananea branch has not been set, owing to the fact that the work will have to be approved by the Mexican government before through traffic can be inaugurated and the freight and passenger tariffs and train schedules made up for official approval. A large amount of improvement is being done in the railroad yards at Nogales in preparation for the largely increased business that will go to the Sonora road through the opening of the Cananea line.

Ben Heney, nominee on the Non-Partisan ticket for Mayor, has returned to Tucson from San Francisco. An opponent against Heney has just appeared in Charles M. Murphy, who has been nominated as an independent candidate for Mayor by the filing of a petition. George Meyers has been nominated for the vacant Democratic place on the Non-Partisan ticket for Councilman, succeeding L. H. Manning, who has declined to run.

OLD FIRM BANKRUPT.

The old established machinery and foundry firm of Gardiner, Worthen & Goss has been thrown into bankruptcy by foreclosure of a mortgage for $18,000 due to Warren and Frank Allison. The company lately suffered a severe loss by fire, including the destruction of all records and books. It has been estimated that the company has assets of $40,000 in the way of material on hand, together with real estate valued at $30,000. Liability is stated at $30,000.

Judge Campbell has sentenced J. H. Bryant to twenty years in the penitentiary, following conviction for murder in the second degree. An appeal of the case will be taken.

Dan M. Whetstone, school teacher at Twin Buttes, has departed that camp very much in debt. Over a week ago he came to Tucson, where he stated he had resigned his place to accept appointment as assistant principal in the public schools of Yuma. A warrant for his arrest on a charge of embezzlement has been issued in the local Justice Court.

Hoboes are swarming into Tucson and the police officers have a serious problem before them. It is proposed to entertain the unwelcome visitors by the establishment of a rock pile and to feed them on a diet of bread and water straight, so that the fame of Tucson as a winter resort for tramps may be noised abroad in decidedly uncomplimentary terms.

BULLDOG AS POLICEMAN.

The police department has a bulldog which has proven his value as a guardian of the peace. Yesterday, while a bunch of tramps were being taken to the Police Station one of the prisoners tried to escape. He would have made good had it not been for the bulldog, which overtook him and, securing a strong hold on the seat of the man's trousers, held him until the officers could come up.

A Mexican boy yesterday learned that an empty gasoline can may be extremely dangerous. He threw a lighted match into a gasoline tank that had been drained and was standing on the street. As a result the can was demolished and the boy was very seriously burned by the exploding gasoline.

Dr. McDougal and Godfrey Sykes of the Desert Botanical Laboratory and Dr. Tolman, director of mines at the Territorial University, have just returned from a trip of investigation of the Salton Sea. They state that the level of the water has fallen eleven feet through evaporation and seepage during the past two years.

Tucson is very proud of the football team of the University of Arizona, which has returned from Albuquerque, where it was victorious over the eleven of the University of New Mexico. A tremendous reception was given the team on its return home, practically the entire strength of the university and a large portion of the townspeople participating in the welcome.

LOST MAN RETURNS.

J. M. Mariscal, reported lost on the desert between this city and Silverbell, made his way safely to Silverbell.

In the local hospital, a few days ago, the 13-year-old daughter of Charles D. Ruppreicht, a construction engineer on the Randolph Railroad, stationed at Agua Caliente, below Culiacan, died. The girl was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis and the parents hurried with her to Tucson, an arduous journey over the part of the railroad still under construction. The girl reached Tucson alive but died soon after. Interment was in Los Angeles.

Rev. S. H. Woodford of Tucson Episcopal pariah has gone to Los Angeles, where he will make his home hereafter. The vestry of Grace Episcopal Church has unexpectedly closed down the work of the parish, with a statement that it has been impossible to raise sufficient funds to handle the indebtedness of the parish or to meet current expenses. It is strongly denied that any friction existed between the rector and the vestry.

Rev. W. I. Markland has been transferred from Southern California to Tucson, to the charge of the Baptist congregation in this city.

INDIANS CELEBRATE FEAST.

On Wednesday was the opening of the feast of St. Francis Xavier, on the Papago reservation, south of Tucson. High pontifical vespers were celebrated in the chapel by Bishop Granjon, assisted by the clergy of the parish, and this morning the bishop officiated at high mass. An interesting feature of the celebration this year was construction of an imitation of the grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. The bishop states that the grotto will be almost an exact replica of the original in France. The Indians, whose village is around the famous old mission of San Xavier del Bac, are devoted Catholics, but, beside attendance upon their devotions, make their annual fiesta at this time one of general merriment and entertainment. A large number of people from Tucson are almost daily attendants.

Word has been received that Father Antonio Jouvenceau will soon return to Tucson from France, where he has been for several years at his old home in the hope that a change of climate might help toward the cure of his ills. He was one of the pioneer priests of this diocese, coming here about forty years ago, and he is held in the very highest esteem by the old-timers of this section.

MYSTERY.

HOUSE OF DEAD IS PILFERED.

RARE JEWELRY AND OTHER VALUABLES ARE STOLEN.

Philadelphia Startled by Mystery Surrounding Disappearance of About $100,000 in Loot from House Where Wealthy Woman Died Suddenly.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rare jewelry valued at $75,000, priceless furs, a copy of an old masterpiece, valued at $15,000, Paris gowns, hats, opera cloaks — these things are included in an inventory of valuables reported stolen from the residence of the late Mrs. George Wood, found dead, October 13, in her house, No. 1239 North Broad street.

Surrounding the death of Mrs. Wood and the disappearance of these valuables is one of the most obscure mysteries ever offered for solution in this city. The facts of the robbery became public today for the first time.

Mrs. Wood was the widow of George Wood, the former American manager of the Royal Insurance Company. She had been dead possibly twelve hours when her body was discovered by an employé of the American District Telegraph Company.

Several hours later Dr. Thomas J. Morton, Coroner's physician, reported the death was due to valvular heart disease. There is no record of a post-mortem being held. The Coroner's deputy and another attaché, Frank Kite, took possession of the premises.

The mystery may never be cleared up unless some action is taken by the city, which falls heir to a part of the estate.

CRAB FISHERS IN PERIL.

EUREKA, Dec. 4.—The occupants of seven crab fishing boats from this port narrowly escaped death at sea, Wednesday night, when they were storm-bound outside the bar, which was breaking so heavily that it could not be crossed by the frail craft.

Two of the boats started for Trinidad and are believed to have reached there in safety. The fishermen in the other boats were rescued yesterday by the life-saving crew and the tug Ranger. No attempt was made to tow in the boats, owing to the rough weather, and they were made fast to the whistling buoy. When the bar calms, they will be brought inside.

JUDGE TAFT'S Creed is the subject of an article by John Elfreth Watkins in the Times Magazine next Sunday.

FRANK G. CARPENTER discusses the South African negro question in next Sunday's Times Magazine.

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He comes into the big fireplace with his great pack of toys and dolls. You know he makes the Broadway his headquarters.

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Toys Purchased Now Will Be Reserved Until Called For

SULTAN MUST BE PRESENT.

Turkish Deputies Insist That Ruler Appear at Opening of Parliament Next Week.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representing all except four of the one hundred newly-elected deputies, a committee of five yesterday presented to the Grand Vizier at the Parliamentary Club a memorial formally announcing its decision that the Sultan himself must preside at the opening of the Turkish Parliament next week, at the Ministry of Justice, in Stamboul, or else, if he insists that the Parliament be convened either in the Dolmabaghcheh Palace or the Yildiz Kiosk, all the rest of the meetings must take place there.

The Sultan's aversion to leaving the Yildiz Kiosk greatly irritates the deputies, who say they believe the Parliament will have to meet in the Dolmabagheh Palace. The press is most satirical over the the Sultan's shyness.

PASTOR REFUTES GOSSIP.

Rev. J. J. Ramsay Denies Rumors Connecting His Name With Former Governess.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. J. J. Ramsay, until recently pastor of the First Methodist Church at Fruita, Colo., has issued a public statement, denying the rumors connecting his name with that of a woman who was formerly governess in his family. The statements were circulated after Rev. Mr. Ramsay's resignation, and after he had gone over to the Congregational denomination. He declares that the reports are unfounded, and alleges that he is being made the victim of attempted blackmail by certain persons, who, through hate, envy and revenge, are trying to ruin his name. He concludes by saying that he challenges anybody to prove that he has not been a gentleman in every sense of the word.

DESERTIONS DECREASE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The campaign in the War Department against desertions from the army is meeting with success, according to Adjutant General F. C. Ainsworth, U.S.A., who stated in his annual report to the Secretary of War, made public today, that the relative number of desertions was less in 1908 than in any other fiscal year since 1901. The desertions during the fiscal year 1908 were 4505, or 4.6 per cent. of the whole number of enlisted men in service in the army during that year. In 1907 the percentage was 5.6, and in 1906, it reached the record of 7.4 per cent.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

The Central School building of Boise, Idaho, temporarily occupied by the Idaho State School for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, was partially destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Forty children, inmates of the institution, were being marched to breakfast when the alarm was given, and they were taken out of the building in perfect order. The loss is $10,000.

Sixty-five families are homeless in Centralia, Pa., as the result of a fire which during Thursday night wiped out three squares of property in the heart of town. It started in a moving-picture show, and spread rapidly among the frame houses.

Life lines thrown from a New York ferryboat saved two men who were clinging to an overturned rowboat in the icy waters of North River Thursday night. They had capsized in midstream. Both men were sailors.

A cable dispatch from Russia, via London, received in New York by the Jewish Morning Journal, says that all the lands of Jewish agricultural colonists have been confiscated by the government in the province of Ekaterinasv. They had held the right to colonize the land in question since 1840. Thousands of persons will be affected by the confiscation.

A Chautauqua for the working man, where Socialism will be taught, is to be opened next summer by the Rev. Alex F. Irvine, labor secretary of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension of this city. He is considered to be one of the leading scientific Socialists of the country.

Elks in New York are to spend $1,000,000 on a new clubhouse, hotel and theater, to be erected at Forty-third street and Sixth avenue. Work on the structure, which will be built by New York Lodge No. 1, will begin within sixty days.

TRANSPORT LOGAN REPAIRED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The government transport Logan, which has been laid up for repairs at the Risdon Iron Works for months past, will be ready for sea within a month's time. The ship has been practically rebuilt from the main deck up, the work costing $250,000.

THE MILTON TERCENTENARY is discussed in The Times Magazine for next Sunday.

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MATCHES MADE TO BREAK.

Scheme of the Manufacturer to Create a Larger Sale of His Product.

One of the biggest cheats permitted to go unpunished is the match fraud. Probably the housewife has noticed how the match breaks nearly every time she tries to light one; how the lighted end flies off into some corner of the house, leaving only the splinter in her hand. Many fires have been caused by this, destroying many lives and hundreds of thousand of dollars' worth of property. Probably it has never occurred to the housewife, however, that most of the breakable matches were designed for that very purpose—made to break easily, so that more of them would be used. It is a pet scheme of the match trust.

The old-time black-headed, sulphur match may have burned slowly and smelt badly, still it was an honest match, and performed its duty without menacing the lives and property of its users. But there was no match trust in those days.

The matches of today are not "straight goods." They are cut on the "bias." When the block of wood from which they are cut is fed into the machine which makes matches by the wagonload every day, it is not cut straight with the grain, but at a slight angle. The result is a match of substantial enough in appearance, but has no strength, and will break at the slightest pressure.

To test the cheat you have but to take your penknife and split a few of the matches. Few of them will split straight, and you will readily note how they break so easily.

As Yerkes once said, the American will make their great fortunes through little things. Thus the match trust figures. If one person breaks 100 matches in one day, how many matches will 20,000,000 people break in 365 days? The solution of the problem, with the cost of matches considered, will give you an inkling of the commercial economy in bias-cut matches.—[National Food Magazine.

JUDGE TAFT'S Creed is the subject of an article by John Elfreth Watkins in the Times Magazine next Sunday.

BUSINESS. Barometer of the Markets—Financial—Commercial.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 5, 1908.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,967,068.90. For the corresponding day of 1907, $1,067,412.64; for the same day of [illegible] $[illegible].912.94.

[illegible]	$2,324,749.42
[illegible]	2,745,827.38
[illegible]day	2,637,061.05
[illegible]ay	1,993,538.08
[illegible]	1,967,068.90
[illegible]	$11,169,144.73
[illegible] 1907	[illegible]
[illegible] 1906	10,361,335.35

[illegible]ing are the five quotations on general [illegible]ing securities listed on the Los Angeles [Stoc]k Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman [B]uilding, Fourth and Main streets, for [to]day's session of the exchange:

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[Amalga]mated Oil	$ 80.00	$ 82.50
[Associa]ted Oil	38.62½	38.87½
[Empi]re Oil	1.25	1.75
[illegible]	.09½	.32
[illegible]	1.10½	....
[illegible]ntal	.20½	....
[Co]nsolidated Oil Co.	.06½	....
[illegible] Oil	.40	....
[illegible]	.14½	.25
[illegible] Petroleum	1.30	1.36
[illegible] Petroleum Co.	.35	.37
[illegible] Oil Co.	.24½	.25
[illegible] Oil Co.	.28	.35
[illegible]rude	.18	....
[illegible]nch Oil Co.	.75½	.95
[illegible]	94.75	95.12½
[illegible] Provident Co.	92.50	93.50
[illegible] Petroleum	95.00	98.00
[illegible] Union	....	100.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]an National	$126.00	$121.00
[illegible]an Savings Bank	125.00	155.00
[illegible] of Los Angeles	....	120.00
[illegible] of So. California	....	130.00
[illegible]ey Bank & Trust	130.00	....
[illegible]ia Savings Bank	....	335.00
[illegible] National Bank	145.00	....
[illegible]' National	220.00	....
[Commer]cial National	125.00	130.00
[illegible] & Mer. Nat'l	265.00	300.00
[illegible] National	400.00	450.00
[illegible]-American Savings	300.00	309.00
[illegible] Savings Bank	112.00	....
[illegible] Savings Bk. of L. A.	120.00	....
[illegible]ants' National	450.00	500.00
[illegible]al Bank of Cal.	260.00	....
[illegible]al Bank of Com.	....	125.00
[illegible] Savings Bank	275.00	350.00
[South]ern Trust Co.	65.00	....

BONDS.

(Prices include accrued interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
[Associ]ated Oil Co.	96	97
[illegible]ia Pacific Railway	98	100
[illegible] City Water Co.	....	95
[illegible] Power & W. Co.	....	95
[illegible] Water Co.	95	100
[illegible] Electric Co. 1s R.	99½	101½
[illegible] Electric Co., old issue	100	105
[illegible] Telephone Co.	84	....
[illegible] Co. 1st Refg.	74	76
[illegible]les Harbor Co.	80	....
[illegible] 1st Con. Mtge.	101	105
[illegible] Railway Co.	105	111
[illegible] Traction Co. 4s	106	109
[illegible] Traction Co. 5s	105	107
[illegible] Trans. & R. Co.	93	....
[illegible]owe Railway	....	98
[illegible] Electric Ry. Co.	....	104
[illegible] Light & Power Co.	91	97½
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	73	....
[illegible] Con. Water Co.	95½	....
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	60	67
[illegible] L. & F. Co.	86	....
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	80
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	43	....
[Santa] Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	95
[illegible] Water Co.	96½	100
[illegible] Elec. G. & P. Co.	95	....
[illegible] Transportation Co.	99½	100
[illegible] D. T. & T. Co.	78	84
[illegible] Water Co.	....	90
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	90

[INDU]STRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]nia Hospital	$ 55.00	....
[illegible] Electric pfd.	85.00	....
[illegible] Electric com.	66.50	....
[illegible] Telephone pfd.	56.25	$ 57.00
[illegible] Telephone com.	12.00	16.00
[illegible] Athletic Club	....	10.00
[illegible] Brewing Co.	....	125.00
[illegible] Harbor Co. com.	40.00	....
[illegible] Investment Co.	2.35	2.45
[illegible]tal Life Ins. Co.	....	150.00
[M]utual Life Ins. Co.	202.00	....
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	37.50
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	40.00
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	35.00
[illegible] H. T. pfd.	....	40.00
[illegible] Water Co.	55.00	70.00
[illegible] & Trust Co. pfd.	170.00	....
[illegible] & Trust Co. pfd.	136.00	....
[illegible] & Trust Co. com.	136.00	....
[illegible] & Trust. Ser. C.	136.00	....
[illegible] L. D. T. & T. pfd.	47.00	52.00
[illegible] Trust Co.	....	60.00
[illegible] H. T. & T. Co.	....	90.00

[SAL]ES: 30 Home Savings Bank at 110.00; 50 [Amalga]mated Oil at 80.00; 170 Associated Oil [at] 38.75; 100 Associated Oil at 38.[illegible]; [illegible] call: 2000 Globe Oil at 14½; 2000 Olinda at 24½@24½; 40 Union Oil at 94.75@95.37½; [illegible] Provident at 92.50@92.50. Off-board [sales]: 51 Home Telephone preferred at 56.50; [illegible] Union Oil at 94.50@95.00.

MINING STOCKS.

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
[Bridge]water District—		
[illegible] Copper Co.	.10½	.12
[illegible] Creek Copper	.12	....
[Misc]ellaneous—		
[Califor]nia Hills M. Co.	.12¼	.13¼
[Conso]lidated Mines Co.	.02½	.02¾

NEVADA.

	Bid.	Asked.
[Tonopah] District (Nye county)—		
[illegible] Con. G. M. Co.	.01½	.02
[Searc]hlight District—		
[illegible] Con. M. & M. Co.	.00½	.01
[Searc]hlight Parallel	.00½	....
[illegible]tte	....	10.00
[Searc]hlight M. & M. Co.	....	.01
[Searc]hlight Parallel	.04½	.04½

[SAL]ES: 2000 Searchlight Parallel at 4½; 2000 [Conso]lidated Mines at 2½@2½.

[T]HE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

[With] the cessation of rain, the market was well supplied with all lines of produce [and] the demand on the week's last real [day of] trading was good. The advance in [cranbe]rries to a flat $15 per barrel was the [subject] for considerable discussion. This is [more] than cranberries have ever sold here in a jobbing way, and according to [those] handling the bulk of the crop the [reason] for the advance lies in the lightness of [the crop]tion. They cannot get many more berries before Christmas and desire to hold at such a figure that the present supply will hold out until then. Cape Cod berries have been about the only ones here. Last [year] Wisconsin berries furnished the biggest [part] of the late supply, but it is doubtful [whether] even a car of these will come in this [year]. Other berry prices were unaltered and [illegible] The rain has just about cleaned up the [rem]nder of the raspberries and the blackberries as well. Strawberries are slowly climbing to that level which they take at about [this s]eason every year, and where they remain until the spring berries begin to mature. [The d]ecline in eggs followed the dampness. [It] was only the local varieties. Eastern [eggs] went up several cents. A heavy [dealer] in locals has been sending his eggs to [San F]rancisco, where they have been selling [at] above prices here. Receipts reported [yester]day were but 72 cases. Sales of case [eggs] totaled 37 cases. Ten cases of Petaluma [eggs] were also sold.

[Butt]er receipts were 11,858 pounds. Offerings were light and weakness was portrayed [in the] bidding.

[There wa]s developed considerable activity and [in] northern storage cheese, weighing altogether nearly 7000 pounds, were sold on 'Change [at cur]rent prices. Other varieties were well [held]. Receipts were higher than usual, [illegible] pounds.

[A car] of Highland potatoes sold at the flat [rate of] $2 per hundred, and there was other buying on the street, which was re[ported] at the same figure. The Highlands [are] guaranteed fancy stock. Salinas were [on] call. Receipts of the day were 1719 [sacks].

[Nothing] happened in the onion market, and [prices] remained the same. Receipts were re[ported] as only 6 sacks.

[Bean]s were active on the outside. Several [cars], at least a carload, were sold. Arrivals [were] [illegible] sacks.

[Sweet] potato arrivals were 21 sacks. On [account] of these light receipts, the market [strengt]hened again.

[Some] 3012 boxes of apples were reported in. [Most of] these were pippins. There was little call for any variety. Pears of the [Winter] variety are selling well. Peaches [are a] trifle scarce.

[Amon]g the latest arrivals on the open market [wer]e endive lettuce, the large white curly [v]ariety, which is only obtainable during the winter season. Jerusalem artichokes [are be]ginning to arrive regularly and sell at [the ra]nge of $1 per lug box.

[Citrus] fruits, with the exception of grape[fruit], remain unaltered in value. Seedless [grapef]ruit has advanced to $4 and $4.50 per [box wh]ile seedlings sell at $3. Tangerines [are] plentiful and sell as low as $2 per [box].

[Some of] the larger ocean fish were obtainable [in sma]ll quantities. Small fish were rather [scarce]. A good shipment of northern fish was [brought] in.

Prices Current.

[EGGS]— Fresh California ranch, candled, se[lected], 41@43; fresh ranch, local, case count, [illegible]; [east]ern, fresh, 40@42; eastern, storage, 32@[illegible].

[BUT]TER—Creamery, extras, 77½ per 2-lb. [roll; c]reamery, firsts, [illegible]; dairy butter, 50; [illegible] 24 per lb.; eastern, extras, 63½ per [illegible]are.

[CHEE]SE—Cal. Anchor, 17; Cal. Y. A., 19; [illegible]n, fresh, 17@17½; eastern, daisies, 17½@[illegible]; [Lon]ghorns, 16½@17; N. Y. twins, 17; sin[gles], hand, 17; Dom. Swiss, 17@15; Imp., [Lim]burger, 18; cheddars, 17; brick cream, [illegible] block, 18; Roquefort, 42; Edam, 30@[illegible]; per case, 3.75@8.00; Tulare, 14@15; Sierra, 1.10 per box; German Breakfast, 1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.20 per box; Camembert, 1.20 per box; Schlosskase, 1.00 per box; Canada cream, 90@1.00 per box.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, No. 1, 4.40@4.60; small white, No. 1, 5.00; Limas, No. 1, 4.75@5.50; American lentils, 9.00; black eye, 3.50; Garvanzas, 3.00@4.50; Bayou beans, 3.50@4.00.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, 7½; blackberries, 10 1-lb. cartons, 13@13. Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 13½@13. Currants, imp., fancy, bulk, recleaned, 10; fancy, 50 1-lb. pkgs., 10½; fancy, 50 ¾-lb. packages, 8½. Dates, imported, Farda, fancy, 60s, 6½@7; Farda, fancy, 12s, 8½@9. Figs, new, per box, 50 ¼-lb. bricks, 1.85@2.00; White, 10 1-lb. bricks, 1.10; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, 5½; Black, loose, 25s, 1.25 per box. Nectarines, per lb., fancy, 25s, 9@10. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, 7½@7; choice, 50s, 6½@7½; choice, sacks, 6; fancy peeled, 25s, 20. Pears, fancy, 25s, 9@10. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 13. Plums, prunes, fancy San Jose, 40-50, 7; 50-60, 6½; 60-70, 6; 70-80, 25s, 5½; 80-90, pitted, 25s, 14; 25s, 5; 90-100, 25s, 4½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, ½c less; in 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Apricots, fancy, 9@10; choice, 8@[illegible]. Pears, 8. Plums, 8@9.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 2-crown, 1.25; 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.45; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.40@2.50; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.75; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.65; clusters, 6-crown, 5-lb. boxes, 65@75; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.75@3.25; loose Muscatels, per lb., 2-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5@6; 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5½@6½; 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6@7; Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, unbleached, 5; bleached, 7@8; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50s, 10; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb., 11@12; seeded, fancy, 50 1-lb., 8@9; fancy, 50 1-lb., 8@9.

NUTS—New, almonds, fancy IXL, 14; almonds, fancy, paper-shell, 15; almonds, choice, softshell, 13; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 15@16; Brazils, large, new crop, 15; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, large, 17@18; small, 9@13; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 7; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," roasted, 9; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 6@7; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 8@9; California, raw, 5@6; pinenuts, 17; walnuts, Jumbos, 15½; No. 1, softshell, 13; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 10; walnuts, black, 7@10; cocoanuts, 90 per doz.; popcorn, 4.50@5.00; chestnuts, 12@13.

HONEY — Comb honey, water white, 1-lb. frames, 14@15; light amber, 12½@14; white, 13@14; extracted, light amber, 6@6½; water white, 7½@8; white, 7@7½; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS — Navels, Yuma, 4.00; fancy pack, northern Navels, 2.50@2.75; local Navels, 2.25; Valencia oranges, fancy pack, 3.00@3.25; seconds, 1.50@2.00; lemons, fancy packed, 2.50; choice lemons, 1.75@2.25; unpacked stock, 1.00@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 4.00@4.50; seedling grapefruit, 3.00@3.25; Limes, small, 1.00 per 100; Tangerines, 2.00@2.25 per box.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Ben Caps, 1.25@1.50; Northern Spies, 75@1.00; Bellefleurs, 4½-tier, 85@75; 4-tier, 85@1.00; Red Pearmains, 90@1.00; Kings, 90@1.00; Spitzbergens, 2.25@2.50; California Jonathans, 2.50; Baldwins, 1.00@1.15; Hoovers, 1.15@1.25; Ganos, 1.50@1.60; Arkansas Blacks, 1.25@1.50; Newtown pippins, 1.25@1.50; Smith Ciders, 85@1.00; Ben Davis, 1.00@1.50; Casabas, 1.75@2.00 per crate; Santa Claus melons, 1.75@2.00 per crate; Yellow Clings, 90@1.00; White Health, 85@1.00; pineapples, 7@8 per lb.; bananas, 3½@4½ per lb.; plums, 1.00@1.25; grapes, Muscats, 1.00@1.10; Malagas, 1.00@1.25; Black Morocco, 1.00; Black Hamburgs, 1.00; Red Emperors, 1.00@1.25; Cornichons, 1.00@1.25; Missions, 75; pears, Bartletts, 2.00 per pear box; Winter Nelis pears, 1.00 per box; pomegranates, 90@1.25 per box; persimmons, 1@7 per lb.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 7@10; raspberries, 12; blackberries, 12@13; huckleberries, 5@6; guavas, 5; cranberries, 15.00 per bbl.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Evaporated chili, 11; sun-dried chili, 11; ground chili, 7½; Mexican black, 90. Onions, Yellow Danvers, 1.00@1.75 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.00@1.25; Crystal Wax, 1.00@1.25; Lompoc Browns, 1.25; Yellow Globes, 1.00@1.15; garlic, 6@8 per lb.

POTATOES—Yellow sweet potatoes, 1.25@1.35; white sweets, 1.00; red sweets, 1.00; potatoes, Burbanks, 1.50; Highlands, 1.00@1.25; Salinas, 1.60@1.75; Oregons, 1.50@1.65; Lompocs, 1.65@1.75; Idahos, 1.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES — Beets, 25; carrots, 25; parsley, 20@25 per doz.; spearmint, 25 per doz.; turnips, 20@25; oyster plant, 25; peas, 6@7; radishes, 15@20 per doz.; watercress, 30@40 per doz.; spinach, 20@25; cabbage, green, 1.25@1.50 per sack; red, 2@3 per lb.; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 40@50 per doz.; lettuce, common, 75@85 per crate; endive, 40 per doz.; parsnips, 25 per doz.; tomatoes, 25@50 per box; yellow tomatoes, 25@35 per box; pie pumpkins, 2@3; cultivated mushrooms, 3.00@3.25 per basket; artichokes, 1.10 per doz.; Jerusalem artichokes, 75@1.00; wax beans, 5; green string beans, 5 per lb.; green Lima beans, 4 per lb.; red chili peppers, 7@9 per lb.; green chili peppers, 25@30 per box; bell peppers, 25 per box; celery, 2.25@2.25 per crate; celery root, 75 per doz.; rhubarb, 75@1.00 per box; crooked neck squash, 35@50 per box; Hubbard squash, 1 per lb.; cream squash, 40@75; cauliflower, 40@65 per doz.; horseradish, 12@15 per lb.; dill, 20@25 per lb.; chives, 1.00@1.25 per doz.; eggplant, 5@7 per lb.; okra, 7@9 per lb.; cucumbers, 50@1.25 per doz.; pickles, 1.50@2.00; Brussels sprouts, 10 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers buy from the producer, live weight: Old roosters, 7; stags, 7; hens, 14 per lb.; ducks, 12@13; geese, 12; turkeys, 19@20; squab pigeons, 1.25@1.75 per doz.; fryers, 16@17; broilers, 20; roosters, 3 lbs. up, 13. Wholesaler sells to retailer, live weight: Hens, 15; young roosters, 18; fryers, 20; broilers, 22; old roosters, 8; turkeys, 20@21; geese, 14@15; ducks, 14@15. Dressed weight averages from 3 to 5 cents higher than live weight.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Hauser Packing Co.) Beef, fed steers, 4@4½; heifers, 3½@3¾; cows, 3¼@3½; calves, 4½@4½; mutton, wethers, 3.00@3.25 per head; ewes, 2.75@3.00; lambs, 3.00; lambs, milk-fed, 3.25; hogs, 150 to 200 lbs., weighed and delivered, 6½; hogs, 200 to 300 lbs., 6.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 8¾; second, 8½; third, 6½@6½; heifers, 8; hind quarters, 8½; fore quarters, 5; loins of beef, No. 1, 11; ribs of beef, No. 1, 9; chucks, 4½@4¾; plates, 4; round and rumps, 7¾; beef tenderloins, 25; square beef clods, 10; shoulder clods, 10; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7¾; flank steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 7; beef tongues, 10; ox tails, 5; lambs' tongues, per doz., 50; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 30 kidney suet, per lb., 6; kidneys, each, 6; sweetbreads, 35; brains, 10; sides, 5½; heads, 2.50.

MUTTON—Dressed mutton, ewes, per lb., 8¼; dressed mutton, wethers, 9; dressed mutton, yearlings, 9½; milk lambs, 10; sheep, 3.00@4.00.

VEAL—Calves, 100 to 200 lbs., 8½@10½; hides, 75-100, 8½; hind quarters, 11; fore quarters, 6; heads (frozen,) 50 each; feet (frozen,) 5 each; livers, 25 each.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 9; dressed hogs head off, 10; trimmed hogs, 11; pork loins, 13; fresh picnics, 8½; pork shoulders, 9½; pork butts, 11½; fresh hams, 13; bellies, fresh, 13; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 6; fresh pork spare ribs, 7½; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 10½; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh,) 10; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., 5½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 7; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½; livers, each, 5; hearts, each, 2.

BACON—Winchester 10-lb. bacon, 17½; Winchester 6-8 lb. bacon, 17¾; 12 Ave., 16¾; Empire, 18¼; 4@ 'er, 16@17; Premium, 22; Atlas bacon, 16; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C, 20; Helmet bacon, 16½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 15¼; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 17½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 10-12 avg., 16¾; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 17¾; Regal bacon, 16¾; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17¾; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 18¼; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 18½; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 22½; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 20½; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 19¾; Special bacon, 17; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 16¾.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 12½; dry salt clear bellies, 14-29 avg., 12½; dry salt backs, 13½; short clear backs, 12¾; dried beef, insides, 25; dried beef, outsides, 17; beef knuckles, 21; medium bacon, 14@14½; bacon strips, 12½; bacon backs, 14½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 2.60; honey-comb tripe, keg, 1.05; honey-comb tripe, kits, 85; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.80; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.00.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex, 15¼; Rex skinned hams, 16½; Diamond C, 16¼; Diamond C skinned hams, 17¼; boiled boneless Rex hams, 15½; Regal, 15; mild-cured hams, 12½; plain hams, 13½; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 15½; Winchester hams, avg., 15¼; Premium, 10 to 12 avg., 17; Winchester picnics, 10½; Winchester boiled hams, 22½; Winchester skinned hams, 16; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 11; Premium skinned hams, 17¾; Atlas hams, 24; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 23; Oxford boiled hams, 15¾; Star boiled hams, 24¼; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 15¾; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 16; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 15¼; Helmet hams, 16¼; Star skinned hams, 13¾; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 17; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 17; Shield boiled hams, 24; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14½; Jefferson hams, 25; Western hams, 16½.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone cut,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.00; family pork, bbls., 26.50; half-bbls., 13.75; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per bbl., 13¼; cases, 17¼; 10-lb. cans, 11; leaf lard, 13; Rex pure lard, 12¾; Premium lard, 14¼; Silver Leaf lard, 13; Jewel Compound, 8¼; Crescent lard, 12; back fat, 9½; Yellow Cotosuet, 9; White Cotosuet, 9½; Mission lard, 10¾; Star lard, 14; Armour's Compound lard, western, 7¾; Compound lard, eastern, 8; Diamond C kettle lard, 14¼; White Ribbon, 8¾; basis Suetene, 9@9½; vegetole lard, 10¼; K. C. lard, 12¾; Armour's Shield lard, 12; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 31; Armour's Vegetole, 10; Fairbanks White Cottolene, 1 case, 7.25; 5 cases, 7.15; 10 cases, 7.10; 25 cases, 7.00; Bakers' Cottolene, 1 tierce, 9¾; 2 tierces, 9½; 5 tierces, 9⅝; Fairbanks Snow White lard, tierce basis, 8¾.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 7½; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 8; blood sausage, 8¼; liver sausage, 7¼; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12½; head cheese, 8¼; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; Spanish pork sausage, 11; Wiener sausage, 8½; Frankfurt sausage, 8½; New England ham sausage, 11½; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 12; German Salami, 27; Milan Salami, 26; Mortadella, 25; Gothear, 25; Star Summer, 24; Aries, 25; Cervelat, 24.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers. Princess salt, cartons, 20 in per case, 1.40; 150-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 2.00; Worthington Daily, 50s, per ton, 16.00; 100, per ton, 15.00; 224s, per ton, 14.00; Crown or Gran. Dairy, 50s, 15.00; 100s, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¾-ground, 100s, 10.00; granulated and ¾-ground, large, per ton, 10.20; ice-cream and evaporated, sheep, 50s, per ton, 10.00; 100s, per ton, 10.50; hide and ice-cream, No. 2, per ton, 9.40; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 22.00. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ¼-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25c cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 5.85; Standard cane, 6.15; Standard berry, 6.15; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 6.60; Candy gran., 6.35; Powdered, 6.35; C. & H. Confectioners' A, 6.15; Western Con. A, 6.15; Magnolia A, 5.75; Extra C or B, 5.65; Golden C, 5.65; D, 5.45; Bowles 6x powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 8.20; Bowles 6x powdered, ¼-bbls., 7.45; Bowles 6x powdered, bbls., 7.00; Bowles Bros. bar, bbls., 7.80; Bowles Bros. Bar, ¼-bbls., 8.05; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. tins, 9.65; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. boxes, wood, 9.50; Palace Bar, 25-lb. tins, 9.90; Dominos, 11.10.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.75; Globe flour, 6.15; Select California white wheat: Silver Star flour, 5.40; XXX flour, 4.65; Capitol flour, 5.65; A1 bakers' flour, 5.25; Aurora, 5.25; Mikado, 4.85; Trophy, 4.65; Crown flour, 4.40.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 6.15; Mayflower, 4.65; Eclipse, 4.65.

FLOUR—	In boxes.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	$3.10	....	....	....
Buckwheat flour	$3.70	3.50	$3.45	$3.40	
Graham flour	....	3.00	2.95	2.90	
Rye flour or meal	....	3.60	3.55	3.50	
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	3.00	2.90	2.85	
Oatmeal, ground	4.25	4.35	4.30	4.25	
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40	
Cracked wheat	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50	
Entire wheat flour	....	3.10	3.05	3.00	
Pearl barley	....	5.50	5.45	5.40	
Split peas, green	5.85	5.65	5.60	5.55	
Split peas, yellow	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40	
Gluten flour	4.75	3.95	3.90	3.85	
Hominy, large or small	4.20	4.00	3.95	3.90	
Farina	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50	
Nutrina Gem	$3.50	4.00	3.80	3.75	3.70
Rolled wheat in barrels, net weight 125 lbs. per sack					4.20

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Pure, 100-lb. sacks, 4.45; new process, 4.25; mixed, 4.00.

GRAIN AND FEED — Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.90; wheat, No. 1, 1.95; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.80; corn, Sm. Y., 1.70; cracked corn, 1.95; feed meal, 2.00; bran, heavy, 1.65; rolled barley, 1.60; linseed oilcake meal, 1.85; cottonseed meal, 1.25; cocoanut cake, 1.35; shorts, 1.90; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red, seed, California, 2.25; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.55@1.75; K. & P. corn, 1.85; cocoanut meal, 1.25.

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Excelsior Chick Food	$3.35	$3.30	$3.25	$3.00
" Fattening Food	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.00
" Egg Food	.75	....	....	1.85
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.85
" Chick Food, 20 5-lb. pkgs., per case	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 4.00@4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 19.00@21.00; No. 2, 15.00@16.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 20.00@21.00; No. 2, 16.00@17.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 22.00@23.00; No. 2, 16.00@18.00; northern alfalfa, 16.00@17.00; local, 17.00@18.00.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 62; raw, in barrels, 60; in cases, 6c higher.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 63; in barrels, 58.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars, Los Angeles:

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 15c per gal.; do., cases, 22c per gal.; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 7¼c per gal.; No. 1 distillate, 8¼c per gal.; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 12c; cases, 20c.

FUEL OIL—75@80 per bbl.

ILLUMINATING OILS — Water white, per gal., in barrels, 10; in tank wagons, 10; Pearl, in cases, 17½ per gal.; Astral, cases, 17¼; Eocene, cases, 20¼ per gal.; Elaine, cases, 28¼; Star, 17½ per gal.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORT OF EASTERN MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car lemons sold. The weather is clear and favorable.

LEMONS.

	Averages.
Protection, fy, Chico Lemon Co.	$1.70
Buckeye, ch, Chico Lemon Co.	1.10

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather is cold. It is snowing. The prospects are that the market will be higher on navels. One car sold today. There are seven cars on track.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Pocohontas, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Zante	$2.75
Hiawatha, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Zante	2.70

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is raining. Prospects are that the market will be higher on navels. One car sold. Two cars of lemons were withdrawn today. There are ten cars on track, mostly Floridas. One car Louisiana oranges sold, average $2.10. Seven cars Florida oranges sold, average $1.75. One wasty car Floridas averaged 50 cents.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Oakleaf, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville	$2.50

LEMONS.

Oakleaf, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville	$2.35
Fullvalue, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville	2.45

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars sold today. The weather is favorable. Market is unchanged. One car on track.

NAVELS.

	Averages.
Badger, xf, C. C. U., Tulare	$2.40

LEMONS.

Peerless, ch, C. C. U.	$2.50
Sunset, sd, C. C. U.	1.80

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car sold, four cars on track. Five cars of Florida oranges sold, average 1.55. The prices on lemons are low on account of the condition of the stock offered.

LEMONS.

	Averages.
Lemon Cove, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Lemon Cove	$2.15
Tulare, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Lemon Cove	1.55

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car lemons sold. Weather cold. The market is firm on good stock of good sizes. Two cars on track. The offerings of Floridas are heavy and the market is demoralized.

LEMONS.

	Averages.
Blue Jay, O. K. Ft. Ex.	$2.10
Swallow, O. K. Ft. Ex.	2.07

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Thursday, December 3, 34 cars, 21 cars oranges, 13 cars lemons. Total shipments to date this season, 549 cars, 160 cars oranges, 389 cars lemons. Total shipments to same date last season 1084 cars, 639 cars oranges, 395 cars lemons.

FLOUR FOLLOWS WHEAT.

Jobbing Price Advances Twenty Cents a Barrel Today, but High Mark Will Be Beaten.

Flour will advance 20 cents in jobbing prices today. The rise to the consumer is merely a matter of conjecture, but it may easily double that figure. What is more, the millers assert that it is only the first of a series of similar advances which will send flour to prices heretofore unthought of. For several months the best grades of flour have been selling at 5.80 a barrel, wholesale, in Los Angeles. Today the price will be a flat 6.00. All of the by-products will rise accordingly.

The cause for the advance in flour lies with the higher prices of wheat. This is now entirely out of the hands of the farmers throughout the country and is being held tight by speculators, who figure to make immense profits, after a year of losses. In Chicago, May options are selling at about 1.80 per hundred, higher even than wheat is bringing here. The best prices obtainable here are 1.60 to 1.65 on best grades.

The rise in Los Angeles is occasioned by similar advances throughout the United States. Minneapolis, one of the grain centers of this continent, reports a perpendicular rise of 15 cents in one day. Other flour milling cities show reports of the same character. In San Francisco, Sacramento and Stockton flour jumped two days ago and wheat went with it. In Washington and Oregon, the States that supply the Pacific Coast with 80 per cent. of the wheat consumed in manufacturing flour and by-products, prices have been soaring right along. Kansas and Nebraska, which supply California with the remaining 20 per cent., have the same story to tell.

W. H. Joyce, manager of the Globe Milling Company of this city, stated that prices on flour would be the highest here in years. "With a price of 6.00 per barrel, we are higher than at any time in three years," he affirmed. "Until the winter wheat crop has been assured next spring, flour will keep on going up, unless the large speculative interests should let go of immense holdings all at once, which is far from likely. The rise has been deferred here for nearly a week, in hope that the advances throughout the East would only be for a few days. Since they are permanently assured and higher prices are called for on all grain shipped here, we have been forced to advance quotations."

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

BUSY DAY FOR LOCAL MARKET.

TRADING REACHES WEEK'S HIGH WATER MARK.

Stocks Respond Readily to Strong Investment Demand, and Are Aided in Their Upward Movement by Advices from Wall Street Brokers. Oils Feature of Session.

The Los Angeles Stock Exchange continued its recent activity yesterday. The call on the stocks and bonds was good, if not the best for several days. Trading reached an exceptionally large volume and prices caught the spirit of the trading and advanced materially. The buying was good investment demand in the great majority of trades, although certain transactions had the appearance of manipulative work between a set of brokers.

The strong tone of the investment market in the leading stocks on the New York Stock Exchange is having a sympathetic and sentimental effect in local financial circles. This is natural in view of the steady advance of the leading stocks in the East. The stocks on the local floor are showing remarkable values at present prices, and are attractive because of their high earning power.

The Union Oil market was the feature of the session yesterday. Closing at 94.00@94.60, and sales at 94.50 on Thursday, it opened yesterday with trading at 95.37½ under a very strong investment demand. Thereafter trading was carried on at 95.25 up to the close, and the stock was quoted at a slight advance over the preceding day's figures. It closed at 94.75@94.95 1-8, up ¾ and 1-8 respectively. A total of sixty shares were sold on the floor, while off board trades were reported which amounted to 130 shares at 94.50@95.00.

There was also a strong inquiry for Union Provident, and this stock sold at 92.50@92.50 in regular ten share lots, while a single share was handled at 94.00. It closed ¼ higher in the asking at 92.50@93.50. United Petroleum was quoted at 95.00@96.00, showing a considerable advance in the asking price, and a point gained in the bid.

Associated Oil was another very active issue, 170 shares changing hands on the floor in regular sales, while an additional 130 shares were tied up on thirty day calls at from 38.75@39.75, with a strong demand for the options. Some of the call buying might have been the result of a desire to stake a few dollars on the part of professional traders, but the public is believed to have kept out of the market. The stock closed at 38.62½@38.87½, up ½ and 3-8, respectively.

There was some considerable trading in Amalgamated Oil at 80.00, fifty shares changing hands under a good demand. The close was 80.00@82.50, up 5 and 2½ points respectively.

Globe Oil was in active demand, selling at 14½ quite freely, and closing 1-4 higher in the bid at 14¼@15. Olinda retained its prominent place on the sales sheet, selling freely at 24½@24¾, with a close at 24½@25, off ½ in the asking price.

This trading in the minor oil stocks also attracted considerable attention to Columbia, which closed with a ¾ point advance in the bid, at 1.10½, and none offered. Central closed at 89½ bid, with none in the market. New Pennsylvania closed at 35@37, up 5 and 2 points respectively.

There was a good demand for the industrial and public utility stocks also. Home preferred was in poor supply, closing with a rise of 1 point in the bid at 56.25@57.00, with no trading reported on the floor. An off-board transaction in five shares at 55.50 was reported. The stock was wanted by a number of traders for investment account, and with the demand, there is little question that it will soon pass the high mark of last week. Edison preferred closed at 85.00 bid, up 2 points, while common was bid up to 66.50, up 2½ points compared with the previous day's close. Predictions were made yesterday that preferred would soon be quoted at par. This seems forcing it a little, as there is no reason for a stock paying only 5 per cent. reaching par with other good investments on the market. The stock has sold at 94.00@95.00, within the last two years, however, and with an increase in the dividend there should be a rapid rise. The company is in fine shape, and now that the greatest expense of building the power transmission line is out of the way, earnings should pile up. It is stated that with an additional expenditure of about 10 per cent. of the amount put in for the Kern River plant and transmission line, as much more power can be developed as is now being delivered.

There was an inquiry for United States Long Distance stock. This closed at 47.00@52.00, up 1½ points in the bid, and showing a considerable advance in the holding price.

The bond list was firm, but no trading was reported. Twenty shares of Home Savings Bank were sold at 110.00, and the stock closed with a demand at that price bid. Searchlight Parallel sold at 4½, and Consolidated Mines at 2 1-4@2 1-8 on the short and unimportant mining call.

MINE MARKET LISTLESS.

Few Sales on Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange—Cheap Issues Practically Neglected.

The mining market was anything but satisfactory on the Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange yesterday. Most of the market leaders closed with sharp declines, compared with the closing prices of the previous day, and the cheaper stocks show almost no change from the extreme low levels at which they have been held for months past.

After a fairly firm opening on the early morning call, the list began to show the influences of the weak market on the San Francisco Exchange, and the close on the informal was very low.

Combination Fraction, which sold at 1.37@1.38 on the early call, was quoted at 1.32@1.33, and sales. This was a decline of 5 and 6 points respectively.

Daisy sold at 86 on the morning call and slumped off to quotations at 74@80, with sales at 78. The loss of was 10 points in the bid.

Florence was quiet as to trading, and closed at 4.62½@4.75, up 2½ and 5 points respectively. Consolidated was quoted at 7.90 bid, unchanged from Thursday's close, with no trading.

There was desultory trading in California Hills at 12¾@12½, Consolidated Mines at 2¾, Great Bend at 29, Jim Butler at 16, Lige Harris at 4.00 a thousand. Searchlight Parallel at 4½, West End at 34½, and Yellow Tiger at 15@16, on the morning call. Baby Florence sold at 1¾@1½ on the informal, with sales of South Furnace Creek at ¾. Milltown Fraction at 1¾, and California Hills at 12¾@12.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

The closing quotations on the Nevada mining stocks, made yesterday on the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Stock Exchange, ground floor of the H. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Spring streets, together with the regular call sales and the sales of the afternoon informal session, were as follows:

NEVADA—GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Combination Fraction	$ 1.32	$ 1.33
Daisy	.74	.80
Florence	4.62	4.75
*Florence L. & M.	6.50	7.50
Goldfield Con. Mines	7.90	....
Great Bend	.27	.29
Jumbo Extension	.20	....
Preferred Prospects—		
Atlanta	.18	....
Baby Florence	.01½	.01¾
Blue Bull	.12	....
Booth	.24	....
C. O. D.	.39	....
Florence Extension	.08	....
Grandma	.04	....
Mohawk Extension	.02	....
Red Hills	....	.22
Yellow Tiger	....	.16
Prospects—		
Blue Bell	.04	.05
*Eureka	3.50	9.00
Goldfield Trinity	.10½	.10¾
Milltown Fraction	.01¼	....

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Jim Butler	.15	.16
Preferred Prospects—		
West End	.33	.35

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Bonnie Clare	.06	.07
Prospects—		
*Lige Harris	3.80	4.50

JOHNNIE DISTRICT.

Johnnie M. & M.	.15	.18
Crown Point Globe	.07½	....

OTHER DISTRICTS.

Clark Copper	.06	....
Rawhide Coalition	....	1.25
First Nat'l Gold & Copper	.15½	....
Hermosa	.02¾	.02¾
Parallel	.04½	.04½
South Furnace Creek	.00¾	.01

CALIFORNIA.

California Hills	.11¾	.12¼
Consolidated Mines Co.	.02¼	.02¾

OIL STOCKS.

Amalgamated	77.50	77.50
Associated Oil	38.37½	39.00
Columbia	1.08	1.10
Globe Oil	.14	....
Mex. Petroleum pfd.	88.00	....
Mex. Petroleum com.	17.00	....
Union Oil	....	96.00
Western Union	....	100.00
Olinda	.24	....

*Per thousand shares.

SALES—Morning call: 7000 California Hills at 12¾@12½; 400 Combination Fraction at 1.37@1.38; 2000 Consolidated Mines at 2¾; 500 Daisy at 86; 500 Great Bend at 29; 2000 Jim Butler at 16; 1000 Lige Harris at 4.00 per thousand shares; 400 do. at 1.00; 5000 Searchlight Parallel at 4½; 1000 West End at 34½; 4000 Yellow Tiger at 15@16.

SALES—Afternoon call: 3000 South Furnace Creek at ¾; 800 Fraction at 1.33@1.32; 100 Daisy at 1.78; 10,000 Baby Florence at 1¾@1½; 1000 Consolidated Mines at 2½; 1000 Milltown Fraction at 1¾; 4000 California Hills at 12¾@12.

SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

PRICES SAG IN MARKET GLOOM.

EVEN GOLDFIELD CONSOLIDATED SLUMPS OFF.

Stock Rallies, However, on Receiving Strong Support from Eastern Buying Orders, and, With Florence, Is Only Bright Spot on the Northern Exchange Mining List.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The market closed very heavy in all lines. Goldfield Consolidated sold down from 8.10 to 7.95, but rallied at the close on eastern buying, closing 8.02½ bid. This stock and Florence are the only two that look higher, as the East is buying both of them with perfect assurance. The present low price of some of the Goldfields and the better class of Tonopahs make them look attractive, as they are lower than they have been for months, and a little buying power will send them to a considerably higher level.

Daisy was exceedingly weak, losing 10 points on the day, and looks lower. Combination Fraction lost 5 points and was heavy at the close. Yellow Tiger took a big spurt this morning, sold up to 17 cents, a gain of 4 points over yesterday, closing at 15 bid.

Rawhide Coalition did not keep up its record of the 12½-point gain for the day, as it has been doing. Numerous profit-takers were on hand and, after selling up to 1.25, it closed 1.20@1.22½. This stock is performing better than any in the list, so far as consistent increases go.

Jim Butler lost a point, West End 4 points, McNamara a point, and Tonopah Mining 12½ points on the day.

Nevada Hills opened at 2.10 bid, but eased off to 2.00 at the close. Rawhide Queen was up 5 points and strong.

The Consolidated Red-Top lease at Goldfield continues to report unusually rich bodies of ore. A six-inch streak on the 225-foot level assayed yesterday from $494 to $1000 a ton, while three feet on the same level went $256 clear across. A small streak has also been encountered on the 150-foot cross cut to the foot wall, running $346. This new discovery on the 150-foot will be followed, as the management thinks it will develop into a large body of high-grade ore. Sacking has been started on the 225-foot level. The following are the closing bid and asked prices, with sales on the formal call:

Tonopah District—	Bid.	Asked.	Sales.
Belmont	$ .77	$ .78	300
Jim Butler	.15	.17	500
Midway	....	.21	.....
McNamara	.36	.37	250
Tonopah of Nevada	6.12½	6.25	250
Tonopah Extension	.38	.40	.....
West End	.32	.34	.....
North Star	....	.06	.....
Rescue Con.	.03	.04	.....
Manhattan District—			
Manhattan Con.	....	.08	.....
Manhattan Dexter	.03	....	.....
Mustang Mountain	.02	....	.....
Seyler Humphrey	.01	....	.....
Thanksgiving	.05	....	.....
Stray Dog	.04	....	.....
Goldfield District—			
Adams	.02	.04	.....
Atlanta	.18	.20	.....
Booth	.21	.24	2,100
Blue Bull	.11	.13	.....
Blue Bell	.04	.05	.....
Black Butte Ex.	....	.02	.....
C. O. D.	....	.40	500
Black Butte Bonanza	.01	.02	.....
Columbia Mountain	.18	.19	.....
Conqueror	....	.04	.....
Combination Fraction	1.32½	1.35	1,450
Crackerjack	.05	.06	.....
Daisy	.75	.77	2,000
Diamondfield Triangle	.04	.05	.....
Diamondfield	.10	.11	.....
Dixie	.01	.02	.....
Empire	....	.03	.....
Florence	4.65	4.70	.....
Florence Ex.	.08	.10	.....
Frances-Mohawk	.03	....	.....
Goldfield Con.	8.02½	....	1,810
Goldfield Kewanas	.27	.29	.....
Great Bend	.27	.28	1,500
Great Bend Annex	.06	....	1,000
Grandma	.04	.05	.....
Jumbo Extension	.23	.24	.....
Kendall	.03	....	.....
Lone Star	.06	.07	1,000
Lou Dillon	.01	....	.....
Milltown Fraction	.01	.02	.....
Nevada Goldfield	.02	.04	.....
Oro	.12	.14	.....
Potlach	....	.08	.....
Red Top Extension	.04	.06	1,000
Red Hills	.20	.21	.....
Sandstorm	.20	....	.....
St. Ives	....	.23	.....
Silver Pick	.10	.11	.....
Yellow Rose	.01	....	.....
Yellow Tiger	.15	.17	2,000
Bullfrog District—			
Bullfrog Mining	....	.02	.....
Bullfrog Nat'l Bank	....	.05	.....
Bonnie Clare	....	.07	.....
Golden Scepter	....	.01	.....
Gold Bar	.01	.02	.....
Homestake	....	.16	.....
Lige Harris	....	.01	.....
Mont. Shos. Ex.	....	.01	.....
Montgomery Mt.	.10	....	.....
Mayflower Con.	.07	.08	2,000
Original Bullfrog	.01	.02	.....
Tramp Con.	....	.10	.....
Yankee Girl	....	.02	.....
Bullfrog Alliance	.00½	.01	.....
Other Districts—			
Fairview Eagle's Nest	.05	.06	.....
Rawhide Queen	.75	....	.....
Nevada Hills	2.00	....	200
Pittsburgh Silver Peak	.79	.81	500
Round Mountain	1.00	....	.....
Coalition	1.20	1.22½	1,300

COMSTOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Following were the opening and closing quotations in the leading Comstock mining stocks today:

Stock—	—Open— Bid.	Asked.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
Ophir	....	1.70	1.67½	1.70
Mexican	.84	.85	.83	.85
Gould & Curry	....	....	....	.10
Con. Virginia	.78	....	.79	.80
Savage	....	.24	.22	.24
Hale & Norcross	.35	.36	.33	.35
Yellow Jacket	.33	....	.33	....
Belcher	.22	.24	.22	.24
Confidence	....	.45	....	.45
Sierra Nevada	.22	.24	.22	.24
Exchequer	.20	....	.28	....
Union	.19	....	.19	.20
Chollar	.06	....	.08	....
Potosi	.13	....	.12	....

NEVADA STOCKS.

NEW YORK CURB QUOTATIONS.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The following are the opening and closing quotations on the New York curb on the leading Nevada issues:

Stock—	—Open— Bid.	Asked.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
Goldfield Con.	8.12½	8.25	8.00	8.12½
Florence	4.75	4.87½	4.62½	4.75
Combination Fraction	1.39	1.42	1.34	1.37
Daisy	.87	.89	.75	.77
Booth	.25	.28	.25	.28
Atlanta	.18	.20	.18	.20
Red Hills	.19	.22	.19	.22
Silver Pick	.12	.14	.12	.14
Great Bend	.25	.28	.24	.27
Belmont	.80	.84	.80	.83
MacNamara	.37	.40	.36	.39
Jim Butler	.15	.17	.15	.17
Tonopah	6.43¾	6.56¼	6.25	6.37½
Tonopah Ex.	.40	.45	.38	.41
West End	.35	.40	.35	.40
Tramp	.10	.12	.10	.12
Pitts. Silver Peak	.80	.85	.78	.83
Shoshone	.93¾	1.00	.93¾	1.00
Montana	....	....	....	.80
Nevada Hills	2.10	....	2.05	....
Greenwater	.05¼	.06¼	.05¼	.06¼
Furnace Creek	.14	.16	.14	.16
Midway	.18	.22	.18	.21
Coalition	1.28	1.30	1.25	1.27½

Boston Copper Market.

By private wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., bankers and brokers. Members New York Stock Exchange. No. 112 West Third street.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—After a dull forenoon, the market suddenly became strong, and very active. The whole list participated in the rise and shorts were compelled to cover all along the line. Lake was well bought and advanced quickly to 24, closing at the top. La Salle was in good demand under 16. There was practically no Range or North Butte for sale. Arizona Commercial touched a new high mark at 39½ and President Amster is talking 50 for it. We expect higher prices for tomorrow and continued activity next week.

Following were the closing quotations today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	121	125
Davis Daly	3¼	3½
East Butte	7¾	7⅞
Majestic	80	85
Raven	89	91
Superior & Pittsburgh	19	19¼
American Pneumatic	9¾	10
Shoe Machinery	60¾	61
Allouez	39	40
Arnold	75	100
Butte Coalition	27¼	27½
Centennial	34¼	35¼
Daly West	10¾	11
Granby	102	....
Mercury	60	75
Mohawk	71¾	71½
North Butte	87	87¼
Osceola	128	130
Quincy	96	97
Shannon	18¾	19¼
United Copper	14¼	14⅜
Victoria	3½	3¾
Wyandotte	7¾	3¼
Lasalle	15¾	16
U. S. Mining pfd.	46¾	47
Boston & Montana	133	134
Superior & Boston	16	16¼
Yukon	4¾	4⅞
Butte & London	45	47
Dominion Copper	9¾	9¾
Giroux	5⅞	....
Nevada-Utah	3	3¼
A. P. pfd.	19¾	19⅞
S. M. pfd.	29	29¼
United Leather	1¾	2
Arcadian	5	5
Atlantic	18¾	19
Calumet & Arizona	119¾	121
Con. Mercur	38	43
Empire	....	3½
Greene Cananea	11¼	11⅜
Mexican	5¼	5½
Parrott	30¾	31¼
Rhode Island	5	5¼
Tamarack	84¾	85
Oil	29¾	30
Winona	7	7¼
Amalgamated Copper	85	85¼
Boston Con.	16¾	16⅞
S. P.	102	102¼
Lake	23¾	24
Miami	12¾	12⅞
Ray	7	7¼
Black Mountain	3¾	3⅞
Gas	92	93
First National	7¼	7⅜
Hancock	11¾	12
Helvetia	3¾	4
Com. Ely	8¼	8¾
Globe	5¾	6
Nipissing	11¼	11⅜
Superior Copper	34	34¼
Apex	6	6¼
Massachusetts	7¼	7⅞
United Fruit	130¼	131
Adventure	10¼	10⅜
Arizona Commercial	39¼	39½
Bingham	23	23¼
Cal. Hecla	680	*685
Copper Range	81¼	81⅜
Franklin	13	14
Massachusetts Gas	56¾	57
Mass. Gas pfd.	81	83
Michigan	14¾	15
Nevada	19¾	19⅞
Old Dominion	59¾	60
Phoenix	60	61
Santa Fe	2⅜	2½
Trinity	17	17¼
Utah Con.	46¾	47
Wolverine	150	152
Zinc	25	26
Isle Royale	24¾	25
U. S. Mining	44¾	45
Utah	48¾	49
Newhouse	6	6¼

*Ex-dividend.

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[T]HE WEATHER.

[CO]MPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
[Bost]on	32	24	28	New York	34	30	32
[Wash]ington	34	26	30	Buffalo	34	28	31
[Pitts]burgh	34	30	31	Cincinnati	40	32	36
[Chic]ago	30	22	26	St. Paul	34	12	23
[St.] Louis	40	28	34	Kansas City	40	32	36
[Hono]lulu	78	72	75	Jacksonville	54	52	53
[Los] Angeles	64	52	58	Seattle	44	34	39

[*Th]e maximum is for day before yesterday; [the m]inimum for yesterday. The mean is the [avera]ge temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

[LO]CAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BU[REA]U, Los Angeles, Dec. 4.—[Reported by A. B. W]ollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock [a.m.] the barometer registered 30.12; at 5 p.m., [illegible]. Thermometer for the corresponding hours [show]ed 54 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, [5 a.m.], 88 per cent.; 5 p.m., 88 per cent. Wind, [5 a.m.], northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., [south]west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Rainfall [past] twenty-four hours, trace; rainfall for season, 4.06 inches; rainfall last season to date, [illegible] inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

[W]eather Conditions.—The storm which [has c]aused the rainy weather in this section [durin]g the last forty-eight hours continues [of]f the northern coast of California. [R]ain is falling this morning in the Sacramento Valley and in the coast districts from San Francisco northward to the Oregon line. [Elsew]here over the South Pacific Slope, the [weath]er is clear to partly cloudy. A moderate [distu]rbance is central over the lake region. [P]recipitation has occurred quite generally [in the] States bordering on the Mississippi River [and] the Great Lakes. Elsewhere in the East [pr]ecipitation of consequence has occurred. [A] disturbance off the California coast is expected to cause unsettled, cloudy weather in Los Angeles and vicinity during the next [thirty]-six hours, possibly with showers at intervals tonight or Saturday.

[Fo]recasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles [and] vicinity: Unsettled, cloudy weather, possibly with showers tonight or Saturday; east [to sou]th winds.

[SA]N FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The following [table] shows the rainfall for the twenty-four [hours] to 5 p.m.; seasonal to date and normal:

	Past twenty-four hours.	Seasonal to date.	Normal to date.
[Eure]ka	.73	9.96	10.83
[Red] Bluff	1.10	2.97	6.12
[Sacra]mento	.60	2.29	4.02
[Mt.] Tamalpais	.00	5.17	4.02
[San] Francisco	.00	3.14	4.33
[San] Jose	.10	1.55	4.30
[illegible]	....	1.09	2.19
[In]dependence	....	1.80	2.12
[San] Luis Obispo	.34	2.82	3.72
[Los] Angeles	....	4.05	2.34
[San] Diego	....	2.11	1.49

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[San] Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsettled Saturday, with showers; fresh south wind.

[San]ta Clara Valley: Showers Saturday; fresh wind.

[Sacr]amento Valley: Showers Saturday; fresh wind.

[San] Joaquin Valley: Rain Saturday; fresh wind.

[Los] Angeles and vicinity: Rain Saturday; south wind.

[Ariz]ona: Partly cloudy Saturday; possibly [rain] Sunday.

[YU]MA (Ariz.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch [from] the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge [of the] Colorado River, 15.40 feet.

SHIPPING.

[PORT] LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

[Stea]mship State of California, Capt. Thomas, [from] San Francisco, via Santa Barbara and [illegible].

[Stea]mer St. Helena, Capt. Bodge, from Mukilteo.

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SAILED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

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[Stea]mer Sibyl Marston, Capt. Schillinsky, for [Colum]bia River, via San Francisco.

[illegible] cruiser Catinat, Commodore Bernard, [illegible].

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IN PORT—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

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[Stea]mer Louise, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
[Stea]mer Balboa, So. Cal. wharf.
[Stea]mer Oregon, Salt Lake wharf.
[Stea]mer Bertie Minor, S. P. wharf.

TO LEAVE—SATURDAY, DEC. 5.

[Stea]mship State of California, Capt. Thomas, [for San] Diego.

[Stea]mer Melville Dollar, Capt. Fosen, for San [illegible].

[Stea]mer Hoquiam, Capt. Reinertsen, for [Grays] Harbor, via San Francisco.

[Stea]mer Falcon, Capt. Sebego, for Seattle.

[Stea]mer Capistrano, Capt. Prebel, for Coos [Bay, via] San Francisco.

[SUN]DAY, Dec. 6—Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Francisco, via [Redondo] and Santa Barbara.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

[Stea]mer Whittier, from San Francisco.
[Stea]mer Iaqua, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
[Stea]mer Coos Bay, from San Francisco.
[illegible], from Gray's Harbor, via San [Francisco].
[Stea]mer Vanguard, from Eureka.
[Stea]mer Shasta, from Tacoma, via San Francisco.
[Stea]mer Tamalpais, from Westport, via San [Francisco].
[Stea]mer Marshfield, from Hardy Creek.
[illegible] Fred J. Wood, from Bellingham.
[illegible] Charles E. Falk, from Westport.
[illegible] Ludlow, from Westport.
[illegible] Omega, from Coos Bay.

[COM]ING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

[St]eamer M. S. Dollar, out ten days [from] Hongkong, via Yokohama and Muroran.
[illegible] ship Celticburn, Capt. Daniel, 330 [days] from Newcastle, Eng., loading.

[The s]teamer Hermosa makes daily trips to [Catali]na Island and return.

[Mo]vement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

[Laun]ches Music, Cainquin and Nera, from [Long B]each, with passengers.

SAILED.

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[illegible] sailboats for fishing banks, and return.

Tide Table of San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
[illegible]	Dec. 5	7:11 a.m.	0:12 a.m.
		3:29 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
	" 6	7:45 a.m.	1:23 a.m.
		3:37 p.m.	2:22 p.m.
	" 7	8:18 a.m.	2:09 a.m.
		9:52 p.m.	3:10 p.m.
	" 8	1:11 a.m.	3:30 a.m.
		10:19 p.m.	3:54 p.m.
	" 9	9:28 a.m.	3:01 a.m.
		11:25 p.m.	4:34 p.m.
	" 10	29:09 a.m.	2:34 a.m.
			5:13 p.m.
	" 11	0:15 a.m.	4:04 a.m.
		10:32 p.m.	5:52 p.m.
	" 12	1:13 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
		11:05 a.m.	6:31 p.m.
	" 13	2:05 a.m.	5:24 a.m.
		11:40 a.m.	7:13 p.m.

Port Items.

[WE]ATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind south, velocity 8 miles.

[The] big steamer St. Helena, Capt. Bodge, [arrived] this morning from Mukilteo, with 1,[illegible] feet of lumber consigned to the National Lumber Company, and 40,000 feet for [Hardwo]od Lumber Company of Los Angeles.

[The st]eamer Falcon, Capt. Sebego, has completed the discharge of 1,550,000 feet of lumber at the Southern Pacific slip and shifted to the Crescent wharf, where she will [load] tons of cement for Seattle, clearing [today].

[The s]teamer Whittier, Capt. Seamens, will [sail] tomorrow from San Francisco to load [illegible]

[illegible: partially visible column at right edge of page, including "10,500 barrels ... Oil Company", "ARRIVED", "SAILED", "SUNDAY, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY" steamship schedules, "HARMO[NY] ... ST[OCKS]", "WALL STREET COMI[NG]", "Report That Coming Deco... Resumed With Any Movement", "[ASSOCIATED P]RESS NEW YORK, D[ec. 4]..." and a "Closing Stocks" list beginning Amalgamated Copper, Am. Car & Foundry, Am. C. & F. pfd., American Cotton Oil, Am. Hide & L. pfd., Am. Ice Securities, American Linseed, American Locomotive, Am. Locomotive pfd., Am. Smelting & Ref., Am. S. & R. pfd., Am. Sugar Refining, Am. Tobacco pfd., American Woolen, Anaconda Mining Co., Atchison, Atchison pfd., Atlantic Coast Line, Baltimore & Ohio, B. & O. pfd., Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Canadian Pacific, Central Leather, Central Leather pfd., Central of New Jersey, Chesapeake & Ohio, Chicago Great Western, Chicago & N. W., Chicago, M. & St. Paul, C., C., C. & St. Louis, Colorado Fuel & Iron, Colorado & Southern, Colo. & So. 1st pfd., Colo. & So. 2nd pfd., Consolidated Gas, Corn Products, Delaware & Hudson, Denver & Rio Grande, D. & R. G. pfd. — figures cut off]

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	New York ..	34	30	32
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Buffalo ..	26	22	24
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cincinnati ..	36	32	34
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	St. Paul ..	34	12	23
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Kansas City.	40	22	31
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Jacksonville	74	52	64
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[illegible] Aiden Besse, Salt Lake wharf.
[illegible] Santa Rosa Island, S. P. wharf.
[illegible] Mary Dodge, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
[illegible] Louise, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
[illegible] Ballena, So. Cal. wharf.
[illegible] Oregon, Salt Lake wharf.
[illegible] Bertie Minor, S. P. wharf.

TO LEAVE—SATURDAY, DEC. 5.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Diego.

Steamer Melville Dollar, Capt. Fosen, for San Diego.

Steamer Hoquiam, Capt. Reinertsen, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

Steamer Falcon, Capt. Sabege, for Seattle.

Steamer Capistrano, Capt. Prebel, for Coos Bay, via San Francisco.

SUNDAY, Dec. 6—Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

[illegible] Whittier, from San Francisco.
[illegible] Roque, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
[illegible] Coos Bay, from San Francisco.
[illegible], from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
[illegible] Vanguard, from Eureka.
[illegible], from Tacoma, via San Francisco.
[illegible] Tamalpais, from Westport, via San Francisco.
[illegible] Marshfield, from Hardy Creek.
[illegible] J. Wood, from Bellingham.
[illegible] Charles E. Falk, from Westport.
[illegible] Bellow, from Westport.
[illegible], from Coos Bay.

FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

Steamer M. S. Dollar, out ten days from [illegible], via Yokohama and Muroran.

[illegible] Celticburn, Capt. Daniel, 2900 tons, from Newcastle, Eng., loading.

The steamer Hermosa makes daily trips to Avalon and return.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

Sloops Music, Cainquin and Nora, from [illegible], with passengers.

SAILED.

Sloops Music, Cainquin and Nora, for [illegible], with passengers, [illegible] for fishing banks, and return.

Tide Table of San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
Dec.	5	7:11 a.m.	0:52 a.m.
		8:20 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
"	6	7:45 a.m.	1:29 a.m.
		9:07 p.m.	2:22 p.m.
"	7	8:18 a.m.	2:06 a.m.
		9:52 p.m.	3:14 p.m.
"	8	8:51 a.m.	2:30 a.m.
		10:28 p.m.	3:54 p.m.
"	9	9:26 a.m.	3:01 a.m.
		11:25 p.m.	4:34 p.m.
"	10	10:00 a.m.	3:34 a.m.
			5:13 p.m.
"	11	0:15 a.m.	4:04 a.m.
		10:33 p.m.	5:52 p.m.
"	12	1:13 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
		11:05 a.m.	4:21 p.m.
"	13	2:05 a.m.	5:24 a.m.
		11:40 a.m.	7:13 p.m.

Port Items.

[illegible]: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 5 miles.

The steamer St. Helens, Capt. Bodge, arrived this morning from Mukilteo, with 1,[illegible] feet of lumber consigned to the National Lumber Company, and 40,000 feet for the Hardwood Lumber Company of Los Angeles.

The steamer Falcon, Capt. Sabege, has completed the discharge of 1,550,000 feet of lumber at the Southern Pacific slip and shifted to the Crescent wharf, where she will load [illegible] of cement for Seattle, clearing [illegible].

The steamer Whittier, Capt. Seamans, will [illegible] from San Francisco to load 10,500 barrels of oil at Terminal for the Union Oil Company.

The steamer San Gabriel, Capt. Green, was delayed in discharging cargo by rain, and did not clear until today. She goes to Umpqua River to load 300,000 feet of lumber for the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company.

The French cruiser Catinat, Commodore Buchard, which has been anchored in the outer harbor since last Saturday, weighed anchor today and sailed for Venice. She will sail tomorrow from Venice for La Paz, Mex.

The Merchants' Independent Company's steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, cleared this afternoon for San Francisco, with a large freight and passenger list.

The steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, completed the discharge of her lumber cargo and cleared today for Gray's Harbor to reload, taking freight and passengers for San Francisco.

Departures today include the steamer Harold Dollar, Capt. Johnson, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, and the steamer Sibyl Marsten, Capt. Schillinsky, for the Columbia River, via San Francisco.

The steamer Melville Dollar, Capt. Fosen, will complete the discharge of 800,000 feet of lumber and laths for the San Pedro Lumber Company and is scheduled to clear tomorrow for San Diego where 700,000 feet will be discharged.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, arrived tonight from San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara, with freight and passengers. She will clear tomorrow morning for San Diego.

The steamer Iaqua is out two days from Eureka via San Francisco, for San Pedro, carrying 725,000 feet of lumber.

The steamer Quinault, Capt. Christensen, arrived this afternoon from Willapa Harbor via Redondo, with 150,000 feet of lumber for the Hardwood Lumber Company.

REDONDO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.

Steamer Vanguard, Capt. Odlund, from Eureka.

Schooner Allen A., Capt. Hendricks, from Gray's Harbor.

SAILED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Diego, via San Pedro.

Steamer Lakme, Capt. Dahlquist, for San Francisco.

IN PORT—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

Tug Redondo, at pier No. 2.
Schooner Nokomis, at pier No. 1.
Steamer Vanguard, at pier No. 1.
Schooner Allen A., at anchorage.

TO ARRIVE.

SUNDAY, Dec. 6.—Steamship State of California, from San Diego, via San Pedro.
MONDAY, Dec. 7.—Steamship Santa Rosa, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.
WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9.—Steamship Santa Rosa, from San Diego, via San Pedro.
FRIDAY, Dec. 11.—Steamship State of California, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.

TO SAIL.

SUNDAY, Dec. 6.—Steamship State of California, for San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.
MONDAY, Dec. 7.—Steamship Santa Rosa, for San Diego, via San Pedro.
WEDNESDAY, Dec. 9.—Steamship Santa Rosa, for San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.
FRIDAY, Dec. 11.—Steamship State of California, for San Diego, via San Pedro.

SAILING FOR REDONDO.

Steamship State of California, from San Diego, via San Pedro.
Steamship Santa Rosa, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara.
Schooner Allen A., from Gray's Harbor.
Tank barge Roderick Dhu, from San Francisco, in tow of tug Navigator.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, DEC. 4.

Sloops Helbertha, Ruby, Dawn, Ina, Martha, Elmira and Redondo, from the fishing banks, with 2000 pounds of fish for local and Los Angeles wholesalers.

SAILED.

The above sloops for the fishing banks.

Notes.

The steamship State of California arrived today from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, with 385 tons of miscellaneous cargo and 125 passengers for Los Angeles and other points. She sailed for San Diego, via San Pedro, at 1:30 p.m.

The steamer Lakme finished discharging this morning and sailed for San Francisco for orders.

The steamer Vanguard arrived today from Eureka with 20,000 feet of lumber for Ganahl & Co. and 250,000 feet for Montgomery & Mullen.

The schooner Allen A. dropped anchor here today after two weeks of hard sailing. Capt. Hendricks reports unusually disagreeable weather on the voyage. The ship brings a full cargo of lumber for local wholesalers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Arrived: Steamers J. B. Stetson, from San Pedro; Mandalay, from San Pedro; Chehalis, from San Pedro.

SHARES AND MONEY.

HARMONY MARKS STOCK MARKET.

WALL STREET DISCUSSES FORTHCOMING MESSAGE.

Report That Tone of President's Coming Document Is Mild Has Effect on Trading and Advance Is Resumed With Less Friction Than Any Movement Has Shown for Days.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The restraint under which operations for higher prices in the stock market have labored during the week was thrown off to a large extent today, and the advance was resumed with more appearance of harmony than any movement has shown for many days.

The change in the temper of the market was not explained by any striking item of news, although there was much discussion on the floor of the supposed contents of the forthcoming message of President Roosevelt. The word was passed around that the tone of the message was mild and that it contained nothing calculated to frighten the most timid speculator.

It was also announced that a modification of the Sherman anti-trust would be asked for to provide against its application to other than unreasonable combinations in restraint of trade, and so open the way to allow agreements among railroads on rates. The action of the market owed something to the relief afforded by the speculative liquidation already affected and of which there was evidence of a subsidence today. This was notably true of United States Steel, in which the selling has been persistent throughout the week. The freedom with which that stock advanced, although to a moderate extent, was of material effect in shaping sentiment on the whole market. Lower-priced stocks continued a prominent feature and in some of these the only reason advanced for volatile upshoots was the activity of market pools which had accumulated large amounts of chosen stocks and were holding them out of the market for higher prices.

The Gould group, led by Wabash preferred, was a conspicuous feature of the dealings. Great Northern preferred was the leader of the high-priced stocks.

The money market continued stiffer than of late in reflection of the large demands making upon banking supplies, rates for call loans ranging higher than since January, when the money market was just emerging from abnormal conditions following the panic and the premium on currency was but newly established.

The speculation appears entirely unapprehensive and confident that the interval will be easily bridged to the period of disbursement of January interest and dividend money. Preparations were in progress today for participation in the Panama Canal bond issue for which subscriptions to the amount of $30,000,000 are to be opened tomorrow.

Bonds were strong. Total sales, par value, $6,330,000. Government bonds were unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Amalgamated Copper ..	31,600	85½	83⅞	85
Am. Car & Foundry	1,100	46⅞	46⅜	46⅝
Am. C. & F. pfd.	100	108¼	108¼	107
American Cotton Oil	2,300	42⅞	41½	42⅜
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	....	....	....	28
Am. Ice Securities	400	26⅜	26	25⅞
American Linseed	6,000	17½	15½	16½
American Locomotive ..	2,300	56⅞	55⅜	56⅜
Am. Locomotive pfd.	100	109⅜	109⅜	109½
Am. Smelting & Ref.	19,300	93⅞	92¼	92½
Am. S. & R. pfd.	....	....	....	106¼
Am. Sugar Refining	1,000	132⅞	132	132⅞
Am. Tobacco pfd.	2,500	94⅞	92¾	94
American Woolen	2,800	31⅛	30⅜	30⅝
Anaconda Mining Co.	4,900	50⅝	49⅝	50¼
Atchison	6,400	99	98⅜	98⅝
Atchison pfd.	300	101	101⅞	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	1,300	111	111	111
Baltimore & Ohio	6,900	108⅜	107⅞	108⅜
B. & O. pfd.	300	93	92	92
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	5,900	56⅞	55¼	55½
Canadian Pacific	11,900	177	175⅞	175⅞
Central Leather	800	28⅜	28	28⅜
Central Leather pfd.	....	....	....	101
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	205@212
Chesapeake & Ohio	29,900	54⅞	50⅞	53
Chicago Great Western	1,000	11⅛	10⅞	11
Chicago & N. W.	900	174⅛	173⅜	173⅞
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	17,400	151⅝	150⅝	151⅝
C., C., C. & St. Louis	300	67⅞	67	67⅞
Colorado Fuel & Iron	34,600	40	37⅝	39⅞
Colorado & Southern	900	54⅞	53⅞	54⅜
Colo. & So. 1st pfd.	100	70⅞	70⅞	70⅝
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd.	1,400	65⅝	65	65
Consolidated Gas	17,100	162½	162⅜	162½
Corn Products	500	18⅞	18½	18⅜
Delaware & Hudson	400	176½	176	176
Denver & Rio Grande	5,700	36⅞	35	36⅜
D. & R. G. pfd.	700	79½	78⅝	79⅝
Distillers' Securities ...	1,100	35	34½	34⅝
Erie	22,800	35⅞	32⅞	34⅞
Erie 1st pfd.	3,600	48⅞	47⅞	48⅞
Erie 2nd pfd.	800	40	38¾	40
General Electric	20,100	160⅞	158	158
Great Northern pfd.	75,300	145⅞	142⅞	144⅜
Great North. Ore Ctfs.	3,300	74⅞	73⅞	73⅞
Illinois Central	2,400	149	148⅞	148
Interborough-Met.	3,600	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞
Interborough-Met. pfd.	4,100	36⅞	34⅞	35⅞
International Paper	600	12	11⅞	11⅜
Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	....	56
International Pump	800	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝
Iowa Central	14,700	32⅞	29⅞	31⅞
Kansas City Southern	10,300	32⅞	32⅞	32⅝
K. C. Southern pfd.	1,800	67⅞	67	67⅞
Louisville & Nashville	1,300	123⅞	122⅞	122⅞
Minn. & St. Louis	800	49⅞	47⅞	49
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	500	133⅞	132	131⅞
Missouri Pacific	11,100	66⅞	63⅞	65⅞
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	23,800	39⅞	38⅞	39⅞
M., K. & T. pfd.	300	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞
National Lead	3,000	83⅞	82⅞	82⅞
New York Central	7,800	118	116⅞	117⅞
N. Y., Ontario & W.	18,300	46⅞	45⅞	46⅞
Norfolk & Western	2,100	84⅞	84	84
North American	200	79⅞	78⅞	78⅞
Northern Pacific	22,300	143⅞	142	143⅞
Pacific Mail	7,100	38⅞	37⅞	38⅞
Pennsylvania	2,400	129⅞	129	129⅞
People's Gas	100	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
P., C. C. & St. Louis	1,200	84⅞	84	84
Pressed Steel Car	1,200	39	38⅞	38⅞
Pullman Palace Car	200	172⅞	172⅞	172
Railway Steel Spring	....	....	....	43
Reading	93,800	139⅞	138⅞	139⅞
Republic Steel	1,000	26⅞	25⅞	25⅞
Republic Steel pfd.	600	87	86⅞	86⅞
Rock Island Co.	30,200	25⅞	24⅞	24⅞
Rock Island Co. pfd.	36,500	62⅞	60⅞	61⅞
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	2,100	40⅞	40	40⅞
St. Louis, S. W.	1,900	21⅞	21⅞	22⅞
St. Louis, S. W. pfd.	1,100	53⅞	52⅞	53⅞
Sloss Sheffield S. & I.	400	79⅞	79	78⅞
Southern Pacific	2,400	119⅞	118⅞	118⅞
Southern Pacific pfd.	200	121⅞	121⅞	121⅞
Southern Railway	7,300	25⅞	25	25⅞
Southern Railway pfd.	4,100	60⅞	60	60⅞
Tennessee Copper	2,600	45⅞	44⅞	44⅞
Texas & Pacific	46,400	35⅞	33⅞	35⅞
Toledo, St. L. & W.	700	49	48⅞	49
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	1,400	64⅞	63⅞	64⅞
Union Pacific	95,400	181⅞	180⅞	181⅞
Union Pacific pfd.	....	....	....	95
United States Rubber	800	35⅞	34⅞	35⅞
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	600	107⅞	106⅞	107
United States Steel	12,800	55⅞	54⅞	55⅞
U. S. Steel pfd.	2,900	112⅞	112⅞	112⅞
Utah Copper	2,600	48⅞	48⅞	48⅞
Va. Carolina Chemical	4,400	45	45	44⅞
Va. Carolina Chem. pfd.	100	114⅞	114⅞	114
Wabash	16,200	17⅞	15⅞	16⅞
Wabash pfd.	67,600	45	38⅞	44⅞
Westinghouse Electric	200	89⅞	88⅞	88⅞
Western Union	1,000	69⅞	69	69
Wheeling & Lake Erie	2,600	12	11	11⅞
Wisconsin Central	500	31	30	29⅞

Total sales for day..1,067,000

New York Bond Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers. Members New York Stock Exchange. No. 112 West Third street.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Following is the range of quotations today:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s reg.	104⅜	105
U. S. 2s coup.	104	....
U. S. 3s reg.	100⅞	101½
U. S. 3s coup.	100⅞	101½
U. S. 3s, small	100	....
U. S. 4s reg. (new)	120⅜	121
U. S. 4s coup. (new)	121	....
Panama 2s reg.	102	....
District of Columbia	102	....
Philippine Island 4s	110	....
Jap. 4½s, 1st Ser.	91⅞	91⅜
Jap. 4½s, 2d Ser.	90⅞	90⅜
Japanese 4s	82	82⅜
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	90⅞	90⅞
Southern Railway 5s	91⅞	91⅞
Wabash 1st 5s	107	107⅞
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1912	98⅞	....
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1915	94⅞	94⅞
Atchison Gen. 4s	100⅞	100⅞
Union Pacific 1st 4s	103⅞	104
N. P. prior lien 4s	102	102⅞
N. Y. Central 3½s	93⅞	93⅞
Atchison Conv. 4s	102	102⅞
Del. & Hudson Conv. 4s	103½	104
Reading Gen. 4s	99⅞	99⅞
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100	100⅞
B. & O. prior lien 3½s	94⅞	94⅞
N. Y. Central 4½s	112	112⅞
Union Pacific Conv. 4s	105⅞	106
Third Avenue 4s	69	70
N. Y. Central 4½s (new)	112	112⅞
Pennsylvania	105⅞	106
C. F. I.	75	75⅞
Union Pacific	97	97⅞
Western Pacific 5s	91⅞	91⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	76⅞	77
Fone Bonds	94⅞	94⅞
Rock Island	75⅞	76
Un. Rys. St. L. 4s	80⅞	....
St. L. & S. F. Ref. 4s	83⅞	84
Nor. & W. Con. 4s	98⅞	....
Met. St. Ry. Ny. Ref. 4s	55	57
C. R. I. & P. 1st Ref. 4s	86⅞	86⅞
Interboro-Met. 4½s	74⅞	74⅞
Atl. Coast (L. & N.) Col. 4s	93	94
Or. R. R. & Nav. 4s	101	101
O. S. L. Ref. Gold 4s	94	94⅞
Erie 1st Con. P. L. 4s	89⅞	90
Central Pacific 1st 4s	98	98⅞
Atl. Coast Line Con. 4s	95⅞	96
L. & N. Unl. 4s	101⅞	101
C., B. & Q. Joint 4s	99	99⅞
Reading Gen. 4s	99⅞	100
C. & O. Gen. 4½s	104⅞	105

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—Closing prices:

Money—		Am. Sugar	131⅞
Call loans	3½@5	Am. Sugar pfd.	129
Time loans	3½@4½	Am. Tel. & Tel.	129
Bonds—		Am. Woolen	30
Atchison Adj. 4s	91⅞	Am. Woolen pfd.	95
Atchison 4s	99⅞	Dom. I. & S.	21
Railroads—		Ed. Electric Illu.	250
Atchison	98⅞	Gen. Electric	158
Atchison pfd.	101⅞	Mass. Electric	13
Boston & Albany	225	Mass. Elec. pfd.	53
Boston Elevated	130	Mass. Gas	56⅞
Union Pacific	181⅞	United Fruit	130⅞
Miscellaneous—		U. Shoe Mach.	60⅞
Am. Arge. Chem.	33⅞	U. Shoe M. pfd.	29
A. A. Chem. pfd.	95	U. S. Steel	55⅞
Am. Pneu. Tube.	9⅞	U. S. Steel pfd.	112⅞

*Ex-dividend.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange weaker, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84 2-5 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86 45-100 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84@4.84¼; bar silver, 49; Mexican dollars, 45. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular. Money on call steady, 2@2¾ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¼; closing bid, 2¼, offered at 2½. Time loans shade firmer and pretty active; sixty days, 3 per cent.; ninety days, 3@3¼ per cent.; six months, 3¼.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $147,946,479; gold coin and bullion, $25,248,654; gold certificates, $55,100,850.

STATE OF TRADE.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Dun's review of trade tomorrow will say: "Cold weather brought a better retail demand for seasonable merchandise and holiday trade made good progress, but assortments are not wholly satisfactory because of the conservatism of many dealers who failed to secure adequate stocks.

"Industrial activity is maintained, except where it is customary to limit operations for inventories at this season.

"Commercial payments are gradually improving. Export business is still handicaped by the depression in the silver market."

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: "Weather conditions have been irregular, but the arrival of a cold wave, following unseasonable mild temperatures, has stimulated retail trade North, West and East, and even helped business at the South at some points, though holding of cotton and low prices therefor have tended to check buying in the cotton belt as a whole. Collections have shared in the irregularity in the tendency and there is noticeable more complaint as to these than to business generally, more particularly at the South.

"Holiday trade shows signs of expansion, and comparisons with a year ago in all lines are naturally in favor of current business. In some lines of wholesale trade there are evidences of more quiet conditions.

"In manufacturing there are no evidences of halting in the tendency toward expansion of output previously noted, and the preparations made or making in this line show signs of large trade being looked for in 1909.

"Business failures in the United States for the week ended December 3 number 272, against 193 last week, 272 in the same week of 1907, 216 in 1906, 203 in 1905, and 231 in 1904.

"Business failures in Canada for the week number 38, against 35 last week and 36 last year.

"Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ended December 3 aggregated 6,106,258 bushels, against 4,936,243 bushels last week and 6,192,241 this week last year.

"For the twenty-three weeks ended December 3 this year the exports are 100,436,540 bushels, against 96,475,050 in the same time last year."

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Bradstreet's Bank Clearings Report for the week ending December 3 shows an aggregate of $3,519,986,000, as against $2,544,353,000 last week and $2,474,655,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the principal cities:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Per ct. Dec.
New York	$2,272,364,000	15.3	....
Chicago	288,213,000	40.7	....
Boston	176,002,000	34.3	....
Philadelphia	150,858,000	8.3	....
St. Louis	69,944,000	14.4	....
Pittsburgh	45,353,000	....	17.7
San Francisco	43,469,000	40.3	....
Kansas City	42,811,000	60.6	....
Baltimore	29,266,000	7.8	....
Cincinnati	27,318,000	23.3	....
Minneapolis	27,740,000	0.7	....
New Orleans	21,530,000	....	6.0
Cleveland	15,921,000	3.3	....
Detroit	14,929,000	17.6	....
Louisville	14,613,000	36.5	....
LOS ANGELES	**13,188,000**	**80.7**	....
Omaha	14,106,000	26.9	....
Milwaukee	13,418,000	23.1	....
Seattle	10,203,000	34.7	....
St. Paul	12,378,000	7.3	....
Buffalo	9,069,000	7.0	....
Denver	9,761,000	4.5	....
Indianapolis	9,265,000	37.4	....
Fort Worth	13,811,000	48.3	....
Providence	8,403,000	25.8	....
Portland, Or.	6,425,000	47.4	....
Albany	6,289,000	19.3	....
Richmond	7,407,000	5.7	....
Washington, D. C.	7,073,000	37.3	....
Spokane, Wash.	6,777,000	....	....
Salt Lake City	6,229,000	112.4	....
Columbus	5,868,000	17.7	....
St. Joseph	5,742,000	63.0	....
Atlanta	6,178,000	5.5	....
Memphis	6,369,000	4.1	....
Tacoma	4,380,000	2.7	....

Metal Market.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Bar silver, 48.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Lead dull at 4.25 to 4.30.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Copper dull. Lake, 14.37½ to 14.50; electrolytic, 14.12½ to 14.25; casting, 14.00 to 14.12½.

GENERAL EASTERN.

WHEAT MARKET IS NERVOUS.

SENTIMENT IN PIT IS BULLISH AND PRICES FLUCTUATE.

Liberal Realizing at Times, but Offerings Are Readily Absorbed Although Occasionally Selling Figure Eases Off a Trifle as Result of Trading—Oats Are Strong.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Although sentiment in the wheat pit was bullish and the market fluctuated nervously, within a half-cent range and at the close was a shade higher to ⅛c lower compared with yesterday's final quotations, leading longs bought moderately throughout the day, and shorts also covered quite freely. There was liberal realizing at times, but offerings were readily absorbed, although at times the prices eased off a trifle as the result of the selling. An advance of ⅛d at Liverpool, continued small receipts in the Northwest, and the report of a St. Louis trade journal showing the poor condition of the fall-sown crop were the principal strengthening influences. Rain or snow in the winter wheat belt was the chief bearish factor. Trade in cash wheat was quiet and prices held steady. Final quotations on December were at 1.05⅛. May closed at 1.10⅜, and July at 1.03⅜.

Wet weather in the corn belt had a bullish effect on the corn market. An official forecast of a cold wave tonight, however, caused considerable selling late in the day, which resulted in the market closing steady with prices unchanged to ⅛c higher, compared with the previous close. Final quotations on December were at 61⅜, and on May at 63⅜. Offerings of corn at the sample tables were light and prices were up ⅛c on a moderate demand.

Moderate activity and strength marked the trading in oats, the market closing strong with prices up ⅛c to ⅛c, compared with yesterday's close. The strong position of the cash grain which was up 1c to 1½c today, was the chief reason for the firmness of future deliveries. Receipts continued light and shipping demand was active. December closed at 50c, and May at 52@52⅛.

Provisions were quiet and steady. At the close prices were 5@7½c lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.07@1.10; No. 3, 1.00@1.07; No. 2 red, 1.05⅛@1.07; No. 2 corn, 61⅛@61⅜; No. 2 yellow, 61⅜@61⅞; No. 2 white oats, 51⅛; No. 3 white, 50@51⅜; No. 2 rye, 74; good feeding barley, 60; fair to choice malting, 62@64; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.43⅜; prime timothy seed, 3.85; clover, contract grades, 9.40; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.12½@8.50; mess pork, per bbl., 14.50@14.62½; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.15; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.75@9.00.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	234,000	561,000
Wheat, bushels	47,600	137,600
Corn, "	222,400	174,700
Oats, "	153,900	149,800
Rye, "	20,000	....
Barley, "	64,900	21,900

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The market for evaporated apples continues quiet; fancy are quoted at 8½@9¼; choice, 7⅛@8; prime, 6 5-8@7, and old crop at 4@6, according to grade.

Coast advices report a firm market for prunes with an advancing tendency, but the spot market remains steady with quotations ranging from 4 to 7½ for California, up to 30-40s, and from 6½ to 7½ for Oregons, 30-40s.

Apricots are in fair demand with choice quoted at 9⅛; extra choice, 10@10⅛, and fancy, 11@11¾.

Peaches are quiet but firm, with choice quoted at 7@7 1-4; extra choice, 7⅜@8, and fancy, 8⅛@11.

Raisins are quiet but steady, with loose Muscatel quoted at 5 1-4@6⅛; choice to fancy, seeded, 6@8; seedless, 4⅛@8; and London layers, 1.50@1.60.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—Wheat: Track prices—Club, 90; blue stem, 96; red Russian, 88; valley, 92; Turkey red, 92.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING.

STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Stock and Bond Exchange closing quotations follow:

	Bid.	Asked.
Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 5s	85⅞	....
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	103⅞	....
Cal. Central Gas & E. 5s	101	....
Cal. G. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5s	98⅞	....
Cal. Street Cable Co. 5s	103⅞	....
Cal. Wine Assn. 5s	92⅞	95
Contra Costa Water Co. 5s	99	....
Contra Costa Gen. Mtg. 5s	90⅞	....
Edison Elec. Co. of L. A. 5s	100⅞	102
Edison Light & P. 6s	103⅞	....
Ferries & Cliff House Ry. 6s	102⅞	....
Hawaiian Com'l & S. 5s	104⅞	105
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	104	105⅞
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5s	99	....
L. A. Electric Co. 5s	100	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	92	....
Los Angeles Railway 5s	108⅞	108⅞
L. A. Lighting Gd. 5s	98⅞	103
L. A. P. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	104	....
L. A. P. Ry. of Cal. 5s	106	....
Market St. Cable Ry. Co. 6s	108	....
Market St. Ry. 1st C. M. 5s	108	108
Northern Ry. Co. of Cal. 5s	114⅞	114⅞
North Pacific Coast Ry. 5s	108	....
Northern Cal. Ry. 5s	103⅞	....
Northern Cal. Power Co. 5s	96	....
Oakland Gas L. & H. 5s	102⅞	....
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	....	114
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	103⅞	....
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	103⅞	....
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	93	....
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	....	92
Oakland Water Co. Gtd. 5s	97⅞	96
Omnibus Cable Ry. 6s	110	113
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	94	....
Pacific Elec. Ry. Co. 5s	105⅞	105⅞
Pacific Light & P. Co. 5s	91	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	96⅞	97⅞
Park & Cliff House Ry. 6s	94	....
Park & Ocean Ry. 6s	106	....
Powell St. Ry. 6s	101	....
Sac. Elec. Gas & Ry. 5s	99⅞	....
S. F. & S. J. Val. Ry. 5s	114	115⅞
S. F., O. & S. J. Ry. 5s	103⅞	104⅞
S. F., O. & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	93	....
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6s	100	....
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 6s, 1909	102⅞	103⅞
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 6s, 1910	103⅞	....
S.P.R.R. of Cal. 6s, 1912	106⅞	....
S.P.R.R. of C. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	113⅞	....
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6s	128	....
S.P.R.R. Co. 1st Rfdg. 4s	96⅞	96⅞
S. V. Water Co. G. M. 4s	94⅞	95
Stockton G. & E. Co. 6s	100	....
United Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	95⅞	....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	72⅞	73
Valley Counties P. Co. 5s	96	....
Water Stocks—		
Marin County	50	....
Spring Valley Water Co.	30⅞	31⅞
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Mutual Elec. Light Co. ctfs.	4⅞	....
Pacific Lighting Corp. com.	15	....
Stockton Gas & Elec. Co.	52	....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	137	140
Bank Stocks—		
American National Bank	129⅞	....
Anglo-Cal. Ltd. ($50 paid)	80	82
Bank of California	356	....
First Nat'l Bank of S. F.	230	....
London-Paris National Bank	130	132
Mercantile Trust Co.	205	245
S. F. National Bank	....	130
Union Trust Co.	2400	....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	....	2300
Humboldt Savings Bank	....	155
Mutual Savings Bank	....	75
San Francisco Savings Union	545	650
Savings & Loan Society	....	125
Security Savings Bank	330	....
Street Railroad Stocks—		
California	115	....
Presidio	10	....
Powder Stocks—		
Giant Consolidated Co.	73	75
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar	97⅞	98⅞
Honokaa Sugar Co.	13⅞	14
Makaweli Sugar Co.	37	38
Paauhau S. P. Co.	19⅞	20⅞
Union Sugar Co.	44	46⅞
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Ass'n	98⅞	....
Associated Oil Co.	38⅞	38⅞
Cal. Fruit Canners' Ass'n	100⅞	102
Cal. Wine Ass'n	47	50
M. V. & Mt. Tam. S. Ry.	....	135
Pacific Aux. Fire Alarm	3⅞	....
Pacific Coast Borax Co.	150	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	81	83
Pacific Tel. & Tel. com.	33⅞	....

STREET SALES: 5000 S. P. R. R. of California 6s of 1912 at 107.00.

SALES—Morning session: 145 Associated Oil Co. at 38.50; 7000 California Gas & Electric G. M. & C. T. 5s at 98.25@98.37½; 1000 Northern California Power 5s at 103.75; 1000 Pacific Electric Railway 5s at 105.25; 3000 Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s at 96.50; 5000 Sacramento Electric, Gas & Railway 5s at 100.00; 7000 S. P. R. R. 1st Rfg. 4s at 96.00; 4000 S. F., Oak. & S. J. Ry. 5s at 103.87½@104.00; 400 Spring Valley Water Company at 30.87½@31.00; 3000 U. R. R. of S. F. 4s at 72.75 cash.

SALES—Afternoon session: 30 Associated Oil at 38.50; 1000 California Gas & Elec. G. M. & C. T. 5s at 98.50; 1000 Market Street Cable 6s at 108.00; 25 Makaweli Sugar Co. at 32.75; 3000 Northern California Power 5s at 92.00; 7000 S. P. R. R. 1st Rfg. 4s at 96.00; 1000 Sacramento Elec. Gas & Ry. 5s at 100.00; 55 Spring Valley Water Co. at 31.00; 3000 Spring Valley Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s at 94.87½; 5000 U. R. R. of S. F. 4s at 72.75.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California Stock and Oil Exchange closing quotations were as follows:

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co. tr. cert.	38.37½	38.62½
Brookshire	1.50	1.65
Caribou	....	12.00
Chicago Crude	.06	.09
Claremont	....	1.75
Esperanza	1.50	1.60
Euclid	.30	....
Four	.30	.33
Fulton	1.75	....
Globe	.13	....
Gypsy	....	.30
Illinois Crude	....	.35
Kern	.15	....
Linda Vista	.20	....
Monte Cristo	1.75	1.85
Nevada County	....	.50
Northern California Pw.	24.00	....
Bank of California	357.00	....
Union St. Bank	30.00	37.00
Occidental	.35	....
Paraffine	.31	....
Peerless	....	5.50
Piedmont	.35	....
Pinal	....	10.00
Producers	1.25	....
Rico	.75	....
Royalty	1.50	....
Sauer Dough	....	2.25
Section Twenty-five	10.00	15.00
Sovereign	....	.30
S. W. & B.	.35	....
Sterling	4.70	5.00
Sunset Monarch	.60	1.00
Superior	.05	....
Thirty-three	1.50	....
Wabash	....	1.40
Wolverine	.35	....
W. K. Oil Co.	1.25	....
Princess Theater	....	1.02½
Spring Valley	31.00	....
United R. R.	72.75	....
*Kern River	.30	....

*Exdividend.

SALES—Morning session: 200 Claremont at 1.75; 100 Esperanza at 1.55; 2000 Paraffine at 32.

SALES—Afternoon session: 300 Sterling at 4.75; 3000 Sovereign at 29.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.10; common, 40.

Berries—Cranberries, 8.50@15.00.

Pears—Common, 50; fancy, 1.25.

Persimmons—75@1.00.

Oranges—Navels, 1.50@2.00; Valencia, 1.50@3.00.

Mexican limes—4.00@5.00.

Lemons—Common California, 1.00@1.50; good to choice, 1.75@2.50; fancy, 2.50@3.25.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@3.00; pineapples, 2.00@4.00.

Beans—Pink, 3.40@3.60; lima, 4.35@4.40; small white, 4.35@4.65; large white, 3.65@3.85.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.15@1.25; Salinas Burbanks, 1.25@1.55; Merced Sweets, $1.25@1.50.

Various—Green Peas, 5@6; string beans, 6@8; green peppers, 4@12½; tomatoes, 50@1.25; summer squash, 50@65; garlic, 7@8.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 35; seconds, 29½; fancy dairy, 25; seconds, 20.

Cheese—New, 14@15½; eastern, 17; Young America, 16@17½.

Eggs—Ranch, 45; store, 40; eastern, 30.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 18@22; dressed turkeys, 25@30; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 4.50@8.50; broilers, small, 3.50@4.00; broilers, large, 4.00@5.00; fryers, 5.00@6.50; hens, 4.00@8.00; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ducks, young, 4.00@8.00; geese, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, old, 1.00@1.25; pigeons, young, 2.00@2.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@6.00; bakers' extras, 5.60@5.65; Oregon and Washington, 4.50@5.40.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.67½@1.67½; milling, 1.67½@1.72½.

Barley—Feed, 1.42½@1.45; brewing, 1.50@1.53½; Chevalier, 1.55@1.60.

Oats—Red, 1.57½@2.10; white, 1.65@1.80; black, 2.25@2.60.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 33.50@35.50; mixed feed, 28.00@32.00; rolled barley, 30.00@31.00; oatmeal, 4.00@4.50; oat groats, 4.20@4.50; rolled oats, 33.00@34.50.

Hay—Wheat, 12.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 17.00@21.00; oat, wild, 15.00@18.00; oat, tame, 16.00@19.00; alfalfa, 11.00@15.00; straw, 60@90.

Receipts—Flour, 1750; wheat, 650; barley, 1300; oats, 3170; beans, 2580; corn, 60; potatoes, 6190; onions, 200; hay, 340; hides, 1380; wine, 69,800.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 35; creamery seconds, 29½; fancy dairy, 25; dairy seconds, 20; pickled, 23½. Eggs—Store, 40; fancy ranch, 45; eastern, 30. Cheese—New, 14@15½; Young America, 16@17½; eastern, 17.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Wheat steady; no trading; cash, 1.65½@1.67½. Barley easy; May, 1.47½; cash, 1.42½@1.45. Corn steady; large yellow, 1.75@1.80.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Silver bars, 48; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, par; drafts, telegraph, 2½.

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CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, S. W. Cor. Third and Main.	R. J. Waters, Pres. A. J. Waters, Cashier	Capital ... $300,000; Surplus and Profits .. $275,000
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THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, N. E. Cor. 2nd and Main Sts.	F. M. Douglas, Pres. Chas. Ewing, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and profits .. $35,000
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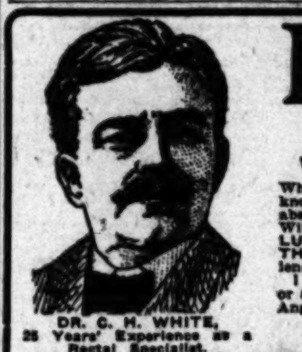
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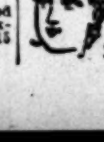
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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Banquet Postponed.

Members of the University Club will have to wait for their next banquet an extra week as the dinner set for next Thursday has been postponed until December 17. At this time the club will have its banquet and Christmas high jinks together.

Technology Club.

The annual meeting of the Technology Club of Southern California will be held at the Mt. Wilson Hotel today. The members will be the guests of Dr. George E. Hale at dinner in the evening. It is proposed to take the car for Sierra Madre leaving the Pacific Electric building at 12:05 p.m.

Hotel Wireless.

General Manager Galbraith of the United Wireless Telegraph Company closed a contract yesterday with the Hotel Green at Pasadena to install a wireless station on the roof of the building. This will be the first wireless station on any hotel in this State. The Coronado Hotel, and possibly the Potter, at Santa Barbara, will also have wireless stations, according to the management.

Sympathy Token.

One dollar was received by The Times yesterday for Mrs. S. F. Engberg as a token of sympathy from friends, whose hearts have been touched by the loss she sustained through the death of her daughter several days ago under the wheels of a Southern Pacific train near Alhambra. The total amount contributed to Mrs. Engberg through The Times now totals $63.

Enjoys the Sights.

In a personal letter to Frank Wiggins, L. J. Christopher, writes from Wien, on the continent, that the operation on his eye has been very successful. He is enjoying the sights, but states that the climate is not to be compared with that of Los Angeles. He also writes that everywhere he has been, he has spoken a good word for this section, but that everyone seems to have heard of Los Angeles and its fame is universal.

Booster Button.

Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce, is personally responsible for a new button on which are the words, "Ask me, I live here." Several thousand will be struck off and distributed among loyal Angeleño boosters. "It will show tourists that we have a big population and are alive to the advantages of this section," said Wiggins. "If the idea proves popular, every man, woman and child will soon be wearing these buttons."

White Memorial.

Several local organizations already have notified the committee of the Native Sons that they will participate in the ceremonies attending the dedication of the Stephen M. White memorial at the Courthouse next Friday, taking part in the parade preceding the dedication, and in the exercises at the ground. The Out West Club, forty-five strong, and the Hibernian Society, will be in line. Mayor Harper has decreed a legal holiday for the occasion, and a large percentage of the members of the fraternal and civic organizations of the city will participate. Practically all the membership of the five parlors of the Native Sons will be in the procession.

BREVITIES.

Now is the time to eat meat, the weather is cool and fine. The Newmarket meats are excellent. Our cattle are fed on sugar beets and alfalfa and the meat is delicious and tender. Remember, our ham sale Saturday morning, at 10c per lb. No hams on sale in afternoon. Only 1000 on sale in the morning, while they last, one to each customer. Our bacon at 12½c, is lean and good. Try a roast of pork. It is good and the price is right. Roast pork, 10c lb.; loin and leg pork, 12½c and 15c lb.; sirloin steak, 12½c lb.; pot roasts, 7½ lb.; boiling beef, 5c lb. Bring your cash to the leaders of high quality and low cash prices. Newmarket, 522-24 S. Broadway, bet. 5th and 6th.

Wreden Packing and Provision Co., will sell today and all next week, porterhouse steak, 12½c lb.; T-bone steak, 12½c; sirloin steak, 10c; boiling beef, 5c; German pot roast, 6c to 8c; rolled rib roast of beef, 12½c; roast shoulder pork, 10c; Vienna sausage, 10c; liver sausage, 10c; New England pork sausage, 12½c; pork sausage, home made, 12½c; head cheese, 10c; bacon, "W. C. W." label, 16c; ham, "W. C. W." label, 14c; special sale, 1000 lbs. of Eastern ham, 9½c; 1000 lbs. picnic hams, 6½c; 1000 lbs. Eastern bacon, 12c. Be sure and come to right place Wreden Packing and Provision Co., 129-135 South Main st.

Remember the slogan: "Buy and Boost Home Products." For daily reference, see page 8 part II of The Times, containing list of wide-awake manufacturers, under the heading "Made in Southern California." You will find there are manufacturers of necessities and luxuries here—manufacturers of things to eat and drink—things for the home, the factory, the office and the farm. Buy them! Try them! There are none better. Buy and Boost, and keep your money at home where it will do you and yours the most good!

Times' Cook Book No. 3 ready today, and until the edition is exhausted, is placed on sale the largest, most elaborate and comprehensive cook book of the series issued by The Times. The 318 recipes for hot Spanish and Mexican dishes and the hygienic department are big features of the publication. The recipes, brought out by The Times' prize cooking contest, are generally from Southern California housewives and noted chefs. Price 25 cents; by mail 5 cents additional. Address The Times, Los Angeles.

To Let—Handsomely fitted office and exhibit space or desk room, also basement, in premises occupied by new branch office of The Times at 531 S. Spring st.; splendid location; suitable for California products display and well adapted for headquarters of excursions, steamship or railroad enterprises, as well as mining exhibits. Established information bureau now conducted in connection. For particulars and rental cost apply on premises, or to Manager's office in the Times Building.

Valentine's Sample Shoe Shop opens today. Agreeable surprises in shoes for men and women. Standard makes, finest qualities, newest styles; regular $4 to $7 values for $2.50 a pair. Attend the opening on the 4th floor Broadway Central Building, 424 S. Broadway. Take elevator.

Thousands of andirons, fire sets, grates, sparkguards, retailed at wholesale prices. J. W. Frey's Mantel House, cor. 12th and Los Angeles sts.

Peck & Chase Co., undertakers, now in their new building, 12th and Figueroa. Tel. Main 61, Home 27727.

High-grade fireproof safes cheaper than ever before at clearance sale of Parcell's Safe Co., 641 South Main.

S. Conradi (formerly jeweler,) office with Park Bank, cor. 5th and Hill sts.

Drs. Hayden, osteopaths, 516 Auditorium Bldg., residence Hotel Chickasaw.

Furs remodeled. D. Bonoff 324 S. Bdwy.

"CHILD FOLLOWETH CONDITION OF PARENT."

BEN-HUR—V.

Ben-Hur has left the house of Simonides to search for his old enemy Messala, in the Grove of Daphne, where he hears the Roman is training his steeds for the forthcoming chariot races in the Circus of Antioch.

Realizing that Ben-Hur is really the son of Ithamar, the dead Prince of Hur, and therefore the real owner of all the wealth he controls, Simonides resolves to reveal to Esther, his beloved daughter, the secret he has so carefully kept from her all these years —that they are both slaves of the Prince of Hur, whoever he may be. The very magnificence of their surroundings seems to shriek at him: "Slave! Slave, you are! in spite of all!"

It seems that Esther's mother was a bondwoman to the family of Hur and refused to marry the steward, Simonides, unless he took upon himself her condition in life. Therefore he declared himself the slave of the Prince, who had thrust an awl through the ear of Simonides, pinning him to the lintel of the door, thus making him a bondman for life according to the law of Moses. Esther's father and mother being slaves for life, she became a slave at birth. Simonides has not told Esther this story, for long before she was of an age to understand, the entire family of Hur had been blotted out, and Simonides thought the family of his master extinct.

Calling his daughter to him, he tells her the history of the family of Hur and says: "Rich as we are, you and I, all this belongs to the House of Hur." In broken words he tells her the pitiful story of their slavery, faltering: "Since the child followeth the condition of the parent, if I be not free from my bondage, thou—even thou, my precious one —in all thy modesty, thy purity and thy beauty, art a slave!"

BULL HOLDS UP TRAIN.

Engineer Almost Gored to Death by Infuriated Animal and Fireman Is Injured.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUENA VISTA (Colo.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] His train held up by a mad bull on a lonely siding, five miles west of here, Frank Baker, a Colorado Midland engineer, was almost gored to death by the infuriated animal before he was rescued by his fireman, A. J. Hogan, who himself sustained painful injuries. A track-walker, who had been attacked a few minutes before, was found hours afterward in a helpless condition lying in a field, after a posse of citizens had searched the country for miles around in an effort to find him. Although horribly mangled by the bull's vicious onslaughts, Baker, after being revived, took the throttle of his engine in hand and again made a heroic effort to run his train.

VITAL RECORD

BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

SIMPKINS. To the wife of George Simpkins, December 1, a daughter.

Deaths.

BURKHALTER. At Sacramento, Dec. 2, 1908, Dennis Burkhalter, of 239 Scarff st., this city. Funeral services will be held at the residence, Saturday at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment Hollywood.

YOUNG. Suddenly, in San Francisco, November 30, Adolph Royal, beloved son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Young of El Monte, Cal., a native of Massachusetts, aged 22 years. Funeral Saturday, December 5, at 2 p.m., from the parlors of Booth & Boynton, No. 1147 South Flower street. Friends invited.

STERLMAN. Bessie Sterlman, aged 5 years, died Dec. 3. Daughter of Hosea and Mamie Sterlman. Funeral from residence at Tropico, Saturday, 2 p.m. Chicago, Cincinnati papers please copy.

ASHMAN. At her late home, 729 East Thirty-second street, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James Ashman, mother of Mrs. Jesse W. Dutton and Bart Ashman. Friends may call at the house until Saturday, 1 p.m. Funeral Saturday, December 5, 2 p.m., from St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral. Friends invited. Interment Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

RICHARDS. At her residence, No. 485 Centennial St., Dec. 3, 1908, Pressendia N., beloved wife of E. S. Richards, aged 53 years. Private funeral services will be held in the chapel of Orr & Edwards Co., corner 10th and Flower Sts., this (Saturday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Salt Lake papers please copy.

SPANGLER. At Cudahy Station, Dec. 3, 1908, Elmer C., beloved husband of Jean Spangler. Funeral notice later. Remains at the chapel of Orr & Edwards Co.

DOUGHTY. At her residence, 704 Judson St., Dec. 4, 1908, Mary Jane, beloved wife of W. H. Doughty, aged 77 years. Native of Pennsylvania, and for about 36 years a resident of Los Angeles. Married in 1853 to Dr. Newton Pierpont, brother of Frank Pierpont, first Governor of West Virginia. Interment Rosedale, from the undertaking parlors of Peck & Chase, Pigueroa near 11th, Monday, 2 p.m. Friends invited.

DEMING. Henry Lathrop Deming, Santa Monica, died December 4, aged 78 years, father of Miss Cos Deming, George C. Deming and Mrs. J. H. Henry, and husband of Mrs. H. L. Deming. Body at Bresee Bros. & Todd, Santa Monica. Funeral notice later.

HAMMER. In this city, December 3, 1908, Mrs. Flora Hammer, a native of West Virginia, aged 36 years. Funeral today (Saturday,) at 2 p.m., from her late residence, No. 1727 E. 43rd street. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

LACKEY. At San Bernardino, Cal., Dec. 4, 1908, O. B. Lackey. Funeral services will be held at chapel of Bresee Bros., 855 South Figueroa St., at 3 p.m. today.

Marriages.

MILLER-SCHROEDER. Ernest A. Miller, aged 34, a native of England, and Margaret Schroeder, aged 20, a native of California; both residents of San Pedro.

JOHNSON-ROWE. William E. Johnson, aged 21, a native of Texas, and Madeline H. Rowe, aged 19, a native of Nebraska; both residents of Los Angeles.

SOUTHARD-CHARLTON. James B. Southard, aged 26, a native of California, and a resident of Berkeley, and Mabel Charlton, aged 20, a native of Illinois, and a resident of Chicago.

CLARK-DRUKER. Arthur L. Clark, aged 24, a native of California, and a resident of Pasadena, and Jule Druker, aged 21, a native of Wisconsin, and a resident of Los Angeles.

Divorce.

SUITS. Mabel L. Potter against Leo J. Potter; Hattie Henn against H. N. Henn; Regina Urbach against Isadore Urbach.

DECREES. Arthur Hollander against Rhea H. Hollander; Rosa Berkovits against Nathan Berkovits; Rose M. Huey against H. W. Huey; Eva C. Darr against E. L. Darr; Harold E. Thompson against Beatrice S. Thompson; Hazel C. Turner against Charles V. Turner.

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YELLOW CARS SPEED INTO THE SUBURBS.

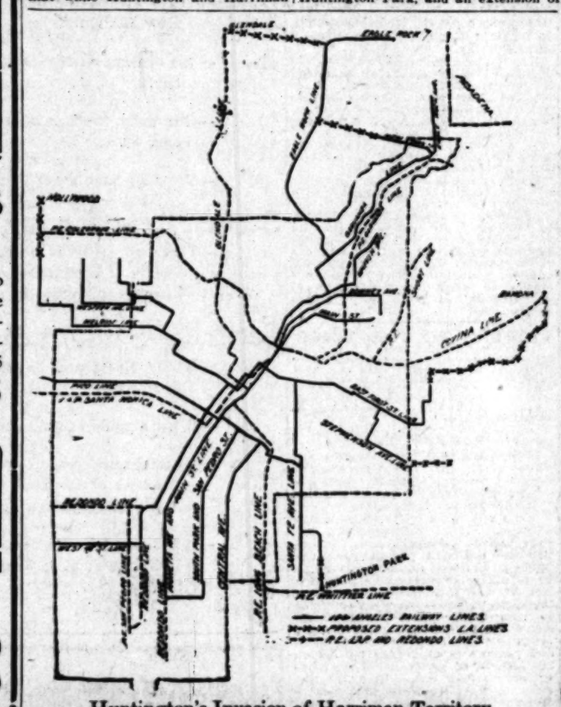
Startling Extensions of Five-Cent Fares by the Aggressive Huntington.

Los Angeles Railroad, Controlled Absolutely by Huntington, Spreading Out in All Directions to Parallel the Harriman Trolleys—Newest Line Heads for Covina. Pasadena, Whittier, and Santa Monica in Sight.

H. E. HUNTINGTON, president of the Harriman-controlled trolley roads—and paralleling these Harriman lines!

It looks like Huntington paralleling himself, but it isn't that.

It is a significant and possibly sensational development of the condition that while Huntington and Harriman are joint owners of the roads, Huntington owns 55 per cent. of the Los Angeles Railroad, and Harriman owns 55 per cent. of the Pacific Electric and allied suburban lines.



Huntington's Invasion of Harriman Territory.
Showing how the owner of the yellow-car city lines is reaching for interurban traffic by extending his system and paralleling Harriman-controlled roads. His next jump will be to Ramona Acres, toward Covina.

A SORT OF BUSINESS PARADOX.

Six extensions of Huntington's Los Angeles Railroad lines, which will enter new territory in competition with the Los Angeles-Pacific and Pacific Electric lines controlled by Harriman are now under contemplation. The money has been posted for one of these extensions, and the preliminary contract for another was signed this week, while the other four are still being discussed.

Since Mr. Huntington relinquished to Harriman, six years ago, the control of the Pacific Electric system (of which Harriman owns 55 per cent. of the stock,) he has been sending his yellow Los Angeles Railway cars farther and farther into the suburbs, paralleling the roads of his partner, in competition for the control of the interurban traffic of Los Angeles county.

Harriman scored a decisive victory when he obtained control of the Los Angeles-Pacific, Pacific Electric and Inter-Urban systems, but at the present time, Huntington is in a position to parallel every one of the Harriman lines. Bear in mind, too, that Mr. Huntington is president of these Harriman companies.

What Mr. Huntington intends to do is shown by the fact that he has made five extensions into territory formerly drained by Los Angeles-Pacific and Pacific Electric lines, and has just completed plans for two more, with others to come.

Huntington's next inroad into the Harriman country will be a road paralleling the Pacific Electric's Covina line. This track will be laid from the end of the present Boyle Heights and East First-street line, to a tract of land near Ramona, known as Ramona Acres. That this line will eventually be extended until it reaches Covina, is the belief of those interested in this extension.

Ramona is a station on the Covina road located in the most fertile part of the San Gabriel Valley. It is the first regular stop for outbound Covina cars, and its population has been greatly increased within the past six months.

Several months ago the East First-street line was extended from its old terminus, east to Rowan street, north to Hammel street, east to Gage street and north to Wabash avenue. From this point a line has been surveyed through the pass to the northeast, which affords the only natural way into the San Gabriel Valley in this locality to Ramona Acres. This line will be about eight miles long.

The final arrangements for this extension have not been made, but the preliminary contract covering the agreement between the men who will grant the right of way, and the company, was signed this week.

TOWARD WHITTIER.

Another extension to be built at the same time is an addition to the Stephenson-avenue line, which will reach eastward toward Whittier. That this line will eventually be extended to the foothill town is the logical move in the campaign to parallel the Harriman roads. The franchise for the right of way has been granted, and all of the guarantee money for the present extension has been posted. The line contracted for will run from the present terminus of the Stephenson-avenue line at the city limits east to the Catholic Cemetery.

The $10,000 guarantee money for this enterprise was posted by the following parties: The James Company, $3500; Catholic Cemetery, $3500; Masonic Cemetery, and Jewish Cemetery.

The other extensions of the Los Angeles Railway Company lines, under contemplation, are a branch of the Eagle Rock line into Glendale; an extension of the Melrose-avenue line north to Hollywood; an extension of the Pacific-boulevard line south to Huntington Park, and an extension of the New York-street line west to meet the Eagle Rock line.

Foremost among the yellow car line extensions that have been made within the past year, is the Eagle Rock line. This road taps territory that once belonged exclusively to the Glendale line of the Pacific Electric system, and its terminus is one of the most important strategical points in the suburban street car situation.

PASADENA, MAYBE.

Eagle Rock is only two miles from Pasadena, and the road passes within two miles of Glendale. On the map the Eagle Rock line appears to be too roundabout to try for any Pasadena traffic, but, in reality, it could be extended right into the heart of the Crown City, and give excellent service between there and Los Angeles. All of the line from Dayton avenue to Eagle Rock is on private right of way and a very high speed could be maintained. The branch from this line to Glendale would make the system of twofold value, as it would then be able to handle the same traffic on one line now handled by the Pacific Electric system over two lines—the Short Line and Glendale.

In extending the branches of his West Seventh-street lines, Mr. Huntington has made a direct inroad into the territory heretofore belonging to the Los Angeles-Pacific's Colegrove line. There are three of these extensions. The first extends west on Sixth street to Gramercy, north to Fourth street, west several blocks, and north to Melrose; the seond west on Fourth street from Bimini to Western avenue, and north to Melrose; the third north and west from Bimini along a private right of way to Heliotrope Drive, and north to Melrose.

All of these lines carry passengers to and from the city for 5 cents.

Another attack on the Los Angeles-Pacific was made by Huntington when he extended the Pico Heights line one mile west from the city limits to Delaware Drive. Five-cent fares rule on this extension, in direct competition with the 10-cent fare charged on the Arlington Heights line on Sixteenth street.

The extension of the Grand-avenue line south to Forty-eighth street, and west to Arlington street, is a move in the direction of Inglewood. This line now secures patronage from Vermont Square and other tracts in the southwest. An extension of three miles in a southwesterly direction would tap the district from which a branch of the Redondo Railway now secures a large patronage.

An excellent preliminary move for a line paralleling the Pacific Electric's Long Beach line was made by Mr. Huntington when he extended the Mateo-street line south along Santa Fé avenue to the city limits. If this line were extended along a private right of way, south to Long Beach, it would be the most direct route of communication between Los Angeles and that suburb. As a feeder to this line, Huntington constructed the Pacific boulevard line, which now extends south to Fifty-first street. The extension of this line to Huntington Park will tap territory now drained by the Whittier line.

SHAKE-UP IN OFFICES.

These moves on the part of Huntington have not been viewed with much favor by the Harriman interests, and the recent shake-up in the personnel of the Pacific Electric system, in which many of Huntington's friends were let out, is evidence of the strained relations which exist between the two magnates.

The most effectual club in Huntington's possession is the 5-cent fare. He is enabled to operate his yellow lines into suburban districts where traffic is

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SAVES MAN'S LIFE.

Carpenter Drags Octogenarian from Under Wheels of Electric Car. Both Slightly Hurt.

H. L. Hughes, a carpenter, of No. 350 South Olive street, saved the life of William Norris, aged 80 years, at the risk of his own about 7 o'clock last night when he dragged the latter from in front of a swiftly-moving street car at Commercial and Los Angeles streets. The fender struck Norris on the forehead, lacerating it, and Hughes was knocked down by the steps, but only slightly bruised. Norris was taken to the Receiving Hospital where he was attended and detained for the night.

Norris, who is employed at the Ganahl Lumber Company's yards, was on the way to his home at No. 223½ Aliso street, when the accident occurred. He was crossing Los Angeles street and became confused by two cars coming in opposite directions. He stepped from one track to the other in front of a car. Hughes, who was waiting for the car to pass, reached out and grabbed him by the coat.

NEEDS THE MONEY.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION SET.

BOARD OF EDUCATION NAMES JANUARY SIXTH.

Three-quarters of Million to Be Asked for—Appointment of Auditor Made, Then His Place Created. Financial Report not Read in the Public Meeting.

The electors of the Los Angeles school district will vote on an issue of bonds for common and High School purposes on Wednesday, January 6, next. This was decided upon by the Board of Education yesterday afternoon, with the entire membership present. The issue proposed totals $720,000—$480,000 for High School purposes, and $240,000 for common school uses.

The board also created a new office, that of auditor of the Los Angeles school district, and appointed Joseph A. McBride to the place, fixing his salary at $2500 a year.

The bond question brought on a long discussion and vigorous opposition from Directors Frank and Guinn. When the proposition came up Mr. Frank moved that action by the board be deferred indefinitely. This motion was seconded by Mr. Guinn.

The resolution prepared by the City Attorney calling the special bond election was not read, but it was stated the members of the board had carefully gone over it in executive session. Mr. Frank said he thought the day the board had determined on for the election, the 29th inst. was almost the worst that could be chosen. He declared he never heard of any city having an election of any kind on December 29, and that he felt sure the proposition would be voted down if the election was held on that day.

LET THE PEOPLE SAY.

President Scott declared it the duty of the board to give the people a chance to say what they want. He said the conditions at the beginning of the present year with regard to the high schools were a disgrace to any civilized community. He did not say who was to blame.

Steadom and Page declared they believed as President Scott did, and thought it the board's duty to act at once, saying twenty days' notice to the people was just as good as sixty. After considerable argument the roll was called on Mr. Frank's motion to defer action indefinitely, and it was lost. Then the resolution calling the bond election for $240,000 for common schools, with the date changed from December 29 to January 6, was placed

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QUEER.

BABY-MEDALS MOULDER, HE?

Alleged Counterfeiter Tells an Odd Story.

Caught With Paraphernalia to Cast Coins.

Officers Make Light of a Lighter Denial.

Bogus $5 gold pieces as medals in a baby show is the latest thing unearthed by the officers of the United States Secret Service. They believe they have captured one of the most dangerous counterfeiters who has attempted to operate on this Coast for years, in the

Frank J. Ernst,
supposed accomplished counterfeiter, with a long record, arrested by Secret Service Agent Hazen yesterday. He says he merely intended to make a medal for a prize baby.

person of Frank J. Ernst, alias Ernest. He insists that the moulds for "queer" coin found in his little house were intended merely as medals to be used as prizes in the baby show of the Made In Southern California Exposition.

After having been under the surveillance for weeks, Ernst, was taken into custody, yesterday, charged with having counterfeiting moulds in his possession. The officers are disappointed because it was impossible to take the man in the act of "shoving the queer," or having spurious coins in his possession. A premature article in a yellow journal evidently warned him, for he was preparing to move when placed under arrest.

Ernst is an educated German, nearly 30 years old, and is believed to have been engaged in the same business for several years. If he has confederates, they were warned in time, for he had had no visitors at his little home in the rear of No. 1023 East Forthy-fifth street for several days.

The capture is regarded important by the Federal officials. They assert

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HIGH JINKS "EFFECTS."

Jonathan Club Prepares for Dazzling Time at Annual Gathering With Parisian Glitter.

"Dazzling Parisian effects," is what the Jinks Committee of the Jonathan Club, with Perry W. Weidner as chairman, is evolving from the experience of experts to brighten the annual high jinks of the club, to be held on the 30th inst. Only members and non-residents guests holding cards will be entitled to enjoy the "effects."

In the first place dinner will be served "a la Voisin" in the main dining-room of the club at 6:30 o'clock. The performances commence at 8:30 sharp. The entertainment will include the rehabilitation of a café chantant on the Champs Elysees by a stranded American minstrel aggregation, while glimpses at the Jardin de Paris, the Moulin Rouge, the Bal Builier and the casino at Monte Carlo, will also be had.

As a sort of preliminary bout to the annual affair the "Young Men's Anti-Cigarette Society" will perform at noon for three days previous to the last lap.

On January 1, open house will be held in honor of the New Year. An elaborate cold luncheon will be served from 11 o'clock to 6 o'clock in the evening, including punch and "men" friends will be welcomed. A ladies' day will be set aside about the middle of January.

OVERWHELMED.

JUDGES REFUSE TO SET CASES.

LEGAL CALENDAR LOADED WITH CIVIL SUITS.

Thousands of Actions Awaiting Trial in Superior Court and Work in Departments Set Year Ahead. Only Relief is Said to Be Naming of More Jurists.

If no suits of any kind were filed for a year, and if three additional judges took office at once, and all twelve worked steadily every judicial day in 1909, they would do no more than try the suits already waiting trial in the Superior Court. Such is asserted to be the situation by those familiar with the cases pending in Los Angeles county.

Statistics prepared by County Clerk Keyes from the official records show that about 500 new civil suits are filed every month in this county, and that court calenders are set far into next year. All the judges are refusing to set any more cases, though attorneys have moved the court to set 171 more civil cases. Fully as many more motions to set would be filed, did the attorneys not know that it would be useless.

As many attachment and commercial collection suits are without profit unless they can be heard with reasonable quickness after filing, the crowded condition of the court calenders in Los Angeles county is a matter of much concern to attorneys and business men, who lose money by delays.

Attorneys versed in legal procedure in the Superior Court say that not quite one-third of the civil suits filed are either dismissed before trial, or are tried on defaults in a nominal amount of time. The remainder of the suits filed come to trial, both parties presenting evidence. On an average, a little more than one full day is required for the trial of each case.

Eliminating all pending civil suits that will probably be dismissed or tried on a default, the 5949 civil suits filed during 1908, in the County Clerk's office, will give each of the six Superior Court trial judges about 994 suits to dispose of during 1909. Probate litigation fully occupies one of the other courts, and the criminal and juvenile business fully occupies two more. Unless the Governer shall appoint more judges, each of the present judges will have nearly 700 civil suits to care for during the 270 judicial days of 1909. And these will be suits in which one full day, on an average, will be required for the trial of the case.

Civil suits at the rate of over 500 a month will continue to be filed during 1909, judging from the percentage of increase from previous years. These suits must take their places on the calenders in rotation, as suits are ordinarily set in the order of their filing. It is estimated that fully 7000 civil suits will be filed in this county during 1909. What will be done with them is a problem to the bench and bar of the county.

Speaking about the proposition to give this county three more Superior Court judges, Judge James said yesterday: "If three judges are added to our present number, the work of those of us now on the bench will not be decreased at all. That is, it will still be necessary for every one of the judges to be on the bench trying cases during all regular working court hours. The benefit of the added assistance will be that some of our surplus business, now being crowded into the future, can be taken care of by the new judges. Litigants can then get earlier trials."

Secretary Robinson of the Los Angeles County Bar Association, who has compiled statistics of the litigation pending in the courts, says: "The creation of three new Superior Court departments will give us only temporary relief. Even with twelve judges we shall, in two years, at the present rate of increase in litigation, be in just the same position we are in today. We need at least three judges at once. This situation is not due to the fault of the courts. If we blame anything, we must blame Los Angeles county for growing so fast in wealth and population. Cases are set ahead as far as September, 1909.

"We have about 6000 civil actions pending. Even if cases go over into 1910, the judges will have far more than they can do. No court can handle this number of cases with justice to litigants. While the probate business has more than doubled in the last five years, one judge still does practically all this work, and hears, in addition, about nine trials of insane persons every week. Criminal cases, as the statistics show, occupy much more time in their trial than civil cases."

The Los Angeles Bar Association passed a number of resolutions at its meeting yesterday, among them one indorsing the plan to secure three more Superior Court judges.

The association also indorsed the bill in the United States Senate for increasing the salaries of United States Circuit Court judges to $10,000, and of District Court judges to $8000. It favored a bill in Congress which provides for a Federal patent appeals court with five judges.

The president was directed to appoint a committee of five to consider methods for reforming practice in the courts. Among the speakers on this topic was John D. Works, who asserted that "We have the most cumbrous, laborious and worst practice that ever human ingenuity devised."

FIGHTING WHITE PLAGUE.

LAMP FLASHES TELL OF SNUFFED LIVES.

EVERY three minutes an electric lamp flashed out in Choral Hall, Auditorium building, last night, to signify that a human life had been snuffed out somewhere in the country as a result of the white plague. The hall was well filled with attentive hearers, the occasion being the consideration of the tuberculosis problem in this city. The speakers said many encouraging things in regard to the work being done by organizations similar to the Los Angeles Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, under whose auspices the meeting was held.

It was asserted positively that consumption can be cured and that remarkable advances have been made in the treatment of the malady. It was said that the great need today is to educate the masses in the matter of sanitation, sunlight and good food. A thorough clean-up of the city was recommended, among other things.

Dr. George L. Cole, president of the local organizations, stated in his introduction, that over 200,000 persons die yearly in the United States from tuberculosis, and that 700,000 are incapacitated from the same cause. He stated that the coöperation of the public was needed in stamping out the disease, and that never before had there been the agitation on the subject that there is today.

Dr. L. M. Powers, city health department, said that the ordinance preventing expectoration on the streets, in public places and elsewhere should be more strictly inforced. He spoke of the increased efficiency of the inspection of dairy cows and beef cattle, and asserted that no Los Angeles family need fear getting tubercular meat.

BETTER SANITATION.

He advocated ordinances requiring better sanitation in lodging-houses, and said that all foodstuffs and fruit should be screened from flies. "There are many other things that will help," he said. "Better street flushing, a more general knowledge of the laws of sanitation—all these things are desirable. Physicians are lax, I regret to say, in reporting deaths from tuberculosis to the health department. There is a State law requiring this."

Superintendent Barber of the County Hospital, deprecated the custom of eastern physicians to send their consumptive patients to this section, when all hope is gone. "They come here, many times to die in some cold, dark room in a lodging-house, or else are brought to the County Hospital. The law requires a residence of one year before one can claim treatment in our institution. But when a person is brought there poor and suffering, there is only one thing to do—keep him.

"I am glad to say that the Board of Supervisors has given us an appropriation for the erection of a pavilion for consumptives. It is not right that this city and county should care for the patients of other counties. Too often their officials think it a joke to purchase a railroad ticket for an indigent consumptive and bundle him away to this city. This ought not to be the dumping ground for such patients."

Dr. W. Jarvis Barlow, director of the Barlow Sanatorium for Poor Consumptives, spoke of the advantages to be derived from intelligent treatment in such institutions. He advocated sending even advanced types to them, although when first opened the sanatorium refused all bad cases. He spoke of social conditions as favoring infection. Dirt, dust and indoor life, were active agents in breeding germs, he said.

AVOID THE FLIES.

The gospel of cleanliness was advocated by Dr. F. C. Mattison, chairman of the Public Health Commission of the Medical Society of the State. He said families should be educated in matters of sanitation, and mentioned the ways in which infection from consumption could easily be avoided. He asserted that the common house fly was a great source of danger, as it carries infection from one person to another.

The speaker said that the influx of consumptives into this State meant a yearly loss of much money and that there should be a Federal bureau to apportion funds for State measures against the white-plague invasion. "The government appropriates large sums for preventing diseases among animals; surely, human lives are worth more than cattle," said the doctor.

C. B. Boothe, president of the California Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, stated that many lives are needlessly sacrificed each year to consumption. He urged the spreading of information on the subject and said that each member of the association could aid in the work of extermination.

Dr. F. M. Pottenger spoke on "Lay Coöperation and Tuberculosis." Dr. George H. Kress, visiting physician to the local helping station, gave a stereopticon lecture on "The Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis." The meeting closed with a general discussion.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Civil Service Commission, acquitting Nick Harris of the charge of receiving money from a Chinese physician last night, found him guilty of unbecoming conduct and receiving gifts, and dismissed him from the service.

On grounds of cruelty, Mrs. Carrie A. Deal was granted a divorce from J. W. Deal by Judge James, yesterday.

W. E. Ester secured a divorce from Mrs. Mary Ester in Judge Jamison's court on grounds of desertion.

AT THE CITY HALL.

DROPS AX ON NICK HARRIS.

HEALTH INSPECTOR INDISCREETLY TOOK GIFTS.

Civil Service Commission After Long Trial Finds Charge of Collecting Money from Chinese Physician Is not Sustained—Revelations as to New Skin Remedies.

If the face gets sore boil licorice root, apply the decoction as a lotion and gain immediate relief.

Or, if that doesn't work, put a mustard draught on it.

For wind under the skin see Dr. Tom She Bin and get his secret tea, brewed while you wait.

These are features of "skin" practice that proved a revelation to Drs. Haynes and Edelman, members of the Civil Service Commission, at the trial of Nick Harris, an inspector, last night, which resulted in his dismissal. Harris was accused by Dr. Tom She Bin of collecting money from him for alleged protection; also one clock and one phonograph. The revelations as to dermatological cures came from witnesses who knew something of the alleged phonograph gift as well as the doctor's panaceas.

Dr. Lau Sen Yet, a Christian Chinese dentist, and his assistant, William S. Lee (also Chinese,) testified that they were fearful of the vengeance of the highbinders, of whom they believed Dr. Tom to be one of the mightiest, if they testified freely. Dr. Lau said Dr. Tom had asked him to see that Lee, his assistant, testified that Harris had collected money for alleged protection. But Dr. Lau said nothing had ever been demanded by Harris or paid to him. Lee corroborated this testimony.

Harris testified again in his own behalf last night. He denied ever receiving the $200 that Dr. Tom said he had given him last February, or the monthly sums of $25 since that time. He admitted having once taken a check for $13 from Dr. Tom, which he took to the Hughes market, five blocks away, to get cashed for the doctor. He said his instrest in getting acquainted with Dr. Tom came from a request from Capt. Flaherty, of the detective force, that he find out if the alleged doctor was procuring women. Harris admitted having received the phonograph and the clock. He had twice procured evidence that convicted the Chinese of illegal practice, and he declared that the present prosecution was vengeance on the part of the latter.

Henry Sief, mortality clerk of the health department, testified that George Lem, better known in Chinatown as Sam Wo, had brought an answer, when he asked if Dr. Tom She Bin was accusing Harris, that "money had been paid, but that no trouble was wanted." This was after Dr. Tom had sent for Sief, who had acted as a friend of Harris in learning the truth of the charges, and told him that Harris had demanded a large sum to keep the higher officials of the health department quiet. Before that, however, the witness declared Dr. Tom had denied that he had ever paid Harris anything.

After four hours spent in the final hearing the commission decided that Harris had been proved guilty of conduct unbecoming a member of the health office staff; that he did accept gifts of a clock and a phonograph from Dr. Tom She Bin, and that the evidence that he had accepted money from the doctor was insufficient to sustain this accusation. Because of the first two findings the commission decreed that he be dismissed from the service.

Mr. Harris will become an inspector for the State Board of Optometry and Dental Examiners at once. He had intended to leave the city's service January 1 for this employment, and will join with J. C. Paten, attorney for the boards, in the prosecution of fake oculists and dentists in the southern district.

AQUEDUCT FIGURES.

MORE ANNUAL REPORTS.

An idea of the magnitude of the aqueduct financial affairs was gained yesterday in the report of W. M. Nelson, auditor of the aqueduct department, to the Board of Public Works. During the year ending November 30, the receipts aggregated $3,291,049.97, of which over $3,004,000 was from bonds. The disbursements included the following: Pay rolls, $542,358.93; materials and supplies, $835,525.53; miscellaneous, $264,969.77; equipment, $11,359.61; land, $397,003.41; bills payable, $57,000; interest, $225; making a total disbursement of $1,976,441.27.

The balance on hand December 1 was $1,222,606.70.

The report of Storekeeper Ormsby showed the purchase of supplies during the same period aggregating $1,392,977.27. The largest items in his report were: Machinery, $441,661.93; construction materials and supplies, $602,153.78, and electrical equipment, $116,160.73. The item of transportation alone was $41,216.88, and that of cook and bunkhouses, $96,262.24.

TO SEEK CONSENT.

CIVIL SERVICE TANGLE.

The Board of Public Works has referred its controversy with the Civil Service Commission concerning the imposition of additional duties on aqueduct civil service employes to the Advisory Board of the aqueduct. A letter from the commission read at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Public Works insisted on the enforcement of the rule that additional duties could not be imposed on classified employes except by written permission from the civil service office. This the board deemed a retrogressive rule so far as the economy of the aqueduct service is concerned.

Chairman Hubbard cited the case of one employé who has five separate kinds of work to do, yet all serve only to keep him busy. If the rule means that five men must do the work he thought it a rule that should be suspended.

Another illustration was that of a cement tester who also performs the duty of superintendent of construction. If he did not he would be idle half the time, while another person would act as superintendent.

It was thought that the Advisory Board and the Civil Service Commission could easily come to an understanding which would mean that permission would be given to combine the work of different classes for the performance of one person.

The Civil Service Commission has also declined to exempt from examination and discipline the office of cement chemist on the ground that there are those ready to take a competitive examination for the position. The board had intended to bring a chemist of long practical experience because in the quality of the cement is the secret of its success.

Shenk Succeeds Works.

Lewis R. Works, who has been Assistant City Attorney since Leslie R. Hewitt took office, has tendered his resignation, to take effect December 31. Mr. Hewitt has named John W. Shenk, at present a deputy attorney, to succeed Works. Mr. Works retires because he wants to devote his time to private practice with his father, Judge John D. Works. He had expected to be an applicant for one of the additional Superior Court judgeships, which are to be created by the Legislature, but yielded to the advice of friends that he engaged in private practice.

Accept Vermont Square.

The Land Committee of the Council visited Vermont Square, a southwestern park site offered the city gratuitously by the Southwestern Land Company, and which the Board of Park Commissioners has already decided was acceptable, and found it a desirable acquisition to the system of small parks. The land is 200 feet by 900 feet, is entirely surrounded by a sidewalk and curb, has cross walks in it and a fountain. The committee will recommend Monday to the Council that the acceptance be formally made. The owners value the land at $15,000, but Superintendent Morley of the park department thinks it is worth more. Under the terms of acceptance the city obligates itself to improve it and make it an attractive place.

Mayor May Veto.

The Mayor is being urged to veto the contract between the Council and the United Phosphate Company for the removal of dead animals. He has withheld his action, pending a report by D. K. Edwards, inspector of public works, intended to show that the present system inaugurated by the Board of Public Works is more advantageous to the city. It is asserted that the board's system produces $1200 a year for the city, while the contract made by the Council will cause the city incinerator to become useless and will bring in only $900. It is also said others will be ready to bid for the contract if there is a desire to dispose of it to the best advantage.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

LOSES HUBBY; NOT JEALOUS.

BUT WIFE GETS A DIVORCE ON GROUND OF CRUELTY.

While Visiting Friend Strange Woman Introduces as Her Own the Real Wife's Husband—Queer Situation in Marital Relations Explained to Judge by Plaintiff.

An unpremeditated surprise party, in which Mrs. Carrie A. Deal, her husband, J. W. Deal, and his alleged new wife, figured at a friend's home, was described to Judge James yesterday by Mrs. Deal, who secured a divorce from Deal on grounds of cruelty.

"I married Deal at Tonopah, Nev., in June, 1906, and left him a month after," she said. "Two weeks after our marriage he got drunk, going to a dance, and he drew a knife and threatened to kill me on the way home. Several times in the next fortnight he got drunk, and always when he was drunk he would threaten to kill me with a knife, a gun, or in some other way. When he became sober again, he always denied that he made threats, and told me that it was all right, and for me not to mind what he might say or do.

"I was scared all the time, so I told him finally that we might just as well split up. I would go my way and earn my own living and he could go his. But he would not agree, so I packed my trunk and started for Los Angeles. He was a brakeman and he found my trunk on the train, so he came to me at Miller's Station, Nev., and I was afraid of him. I agreed to return to Tonopah and did so. But a few days after he agreed to let me go and we parted. I came to Los Angeles and that was the last I heard of him.

"About a year after, I called on a friend, Mrs. Bishop, at her Santa Monica cottage. As I sat talking to Mrs. Bishop, the door opened and a woman, who was a stranger to me, stepped in and said to Mrs. Bishop, 'Mac, let me introduce you to my husband.' Then the door opened and in stepped my husband.

"Well, we were all terribly embarrassed, and the woman didn't know what to say. But at last I told my husband we had better step into the next room and have a talk. There he told me that he had not got a divorce, but was living with the woman, as I had left him and he did not propose to live alone. He said he liked her very much. So we parted without any fuss.

"Six months after, I met him on the street here. We took lunch together and I asked him for my photograph. He asked permission to call on me and promised to bring it. He called, but told me that the picture was at home and he asked me to call and get it. He was living in the Mozart Apartments, Buena Vista street, with the woman, so one day I went up and called when she was away. He searched for the picture, but said it was in her locked trunk.

"It began to rain and he offered to loan me her street coat. He said he would call next day and bring it back, but I told him I didn't care to wear her things. I saw all her dresses and she had one very fine silk. While I was there I talked to him seriously about the way he was conducting himself, but it did no good. He said he was satisfied and I saw I could not influence him for good, so I left. They had three rooms and the woman had quite a quantity of nice clothes."

BUBBLES GENTLY.

GIRL DRINKS HAIR TONIC.

Little Violetta Raymond, 12 years old, sat beside her mother, Mrs. M. Raymond, for an hour and a half in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday afternoon, placidly frothing at the mouth. Handkerchief after handkerchief was used by the child to wipe away the foam which kept gently bubbling from her lips.

When Violetta at last was brought before the court, Judge Wilbur noticed the froth and asked if the child was sick. Mrs. Raymond replied that the little girl had swallowed a bottle of hair tonic just before they started for court. As she was ordered to be in court with the child at 2 o'clock, she had obeyed the court's order and brought her along. She did not think the hair tonic would hurt her.

"Why, child, you will have hair growing in your stomach, won't you?" said Judge Wilbur. The little girl placidly wiped away the foam and said nothing.

Violetta was taken to the Detention Home, where an emetic was administered by a physician. The child had not suffered seriously from her experiment with the mysteries of the toilet, but was sent to the Children's Hospital, where she will remain until she is well again. She appeared in court to answer to a charge of truancy from school.

CHANGED HER CREED.

LEAVES HUSBAND FOR FAITH.

As Mrs. Mary Ester did not approve of a husband who worked on Sunday, she quietly packed up and left him in May, 1907. Ester applied for a divorce and got it yesterday, in Judge Jamison's court. Ester said that his trouble with his wife was due to her religious interests.

When they were married in October, 1906, she was a Methodist; later she left the Methodist church and joined the Christian church. Still unsatisfied she again changed and became a Catholic. Mrs. Ester was anxious that her husband should be of the same faith as herself, but he would not follow her in her various credal changes and she became incensed at him for this reason.

Finally, she told him that it was wrong to work on Sunday and she would not live with a man who desecrated the Sabbath day. Her husband replied that as a street car conductor he must work on Sunday or lose his job. Mrs. Ester replied that he must give up his job then. As he did not, she quietly packed up and left. Her husband came home one evening and found that she had gone. He said he has heard that she is with relatives in Colorado.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CAUGHT IN CRASH. Mrs. Margaret E. Mendenhall testified in Judge Houser's court yesterday as to the injuries she sustained April 12, 1907, in a collision between two street cars near Oneonta Station. She said the shock of the collision threw her against a seat, and she suffered a fracture of the nose, two ribs were hurt, and other injuries inflicted. She asks $15,200 damages from the Pacific Electric Railroad Company. The defendant admits the collision was due to the negligence of the conductor and motorman of one of the colliding trolley cars.

HEARING CONTINUED. Mayor A. C. Harper appeared before Judge Conrey yesterday afternoon in answer to a citation ordering him to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court, in refusing to give his deposition in connection with the libel suits he has instituted against E. T. Earl and the Evening Express Company. As the court had another case to hear, and counsel for both plaintiff and defendants in the suit desired a continuance, Judge Conrey set the hearing for next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

WILL TALK AGAIN. Justice Selph yesterday continued until Monday morning the preliminary examination of W. H. Carlson on a charge of embezzling $4500 from the Consolidated Bank. The entire forenoon session was consumed in argument on the admissibility of evidence.

GRAND JURY CURIOUS. Attorneys Lee Gates, W. E. Lloyd, Thomas L. Woolwine, G. Heinmann, Nicholas Quierolo, M. Pozzo, and A. Berrecochio were examined by the grand jury yesterday. Adjournment was taken until Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Max Goldschmidt, Alphonse Van Dendale, George La Coeur and A. E. Ferraro were also in attendance.

VISITS COURTS. Judge Robert M. Clark of Ventura county visited the Superior Courts yesterday and sat for a time on the bench in Departments 6, 7 and 8 as an interested listener.

STATEMENT ORDERED. Judge Oster yesterday gave judgment for C. R. Vance in a suit for an accounting brought by him against the Supreme Lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood. Vance asserts that from July, 1900, to July 1905, he acted as an organizer for the Fraternal Brotherhood under a contract by which he received certificate registration fees, charter fees, and one-half of the first twenty-four assessments paid by members he, secured for the organization. He alleges he was paid about $2200, and that further payments have been refused. The Brotherhood, he says, sent false statements to him as to the amount of money due for his services. The defendant denied the validity of the contract set up, and says Vance received $6982 in full settlement of his claim, and always had full access to his accounts.

DROPS SUIT. Counsel for W. C. Houghton did not appear in Judge Conrey's court yesterday to argue the demurrer, based on technical grounds, to the answer filed in their client's suit against the San Pedro Board of Education to test the State compulsory vaccination law. It was understood that Houghton desires to drop the suit. The court overruled the demurrer and struck from the calender his suit for a writ of mandate. Houghton's two children were refused admittance to San Pedro schools because he declined to have them vaccinated.

PAY FINES. Ralph Brown, C. L. Van Voast, Peter Hendricks, C. S. Brig, and the Sam and Packard Company paid a $25 fine each in Justice Summerfield's court yesterday for violations of the pure food law. Each of the defendants pleaded guilty to having in his possession food articles that were not prepared in accord with the provisions of the law as regards labeling, coloring or ingredients.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the County Clerk by Seeley-Van Zandt and Crackel, transportation, capital stock, $25,000; Premo Specialty Manufacturing Company, capital stock $100,000. The Loftus and Burnham Company gave notice of an increase in capital stock from $50,000 to $150,000.

NO MONEY IN BANK.

J. C. Sandstrom was arrested yesterday on a charge of passing worthless checks, and locked up pending preliminary examination in Justice Chambers's court early next week. Sandstrom is alleged to have passed paper for $5 upon M. Luttig and $7.50 upon Mrs. E. S. Skelton of No. 115½ South Broadway. He had no money in bank.

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SAM SCHENCK ACQUITTED.

Jury Settles Charge Against Former Police Commissioner of Falsely Imprisoning Bradner W. Lee.

After more than two hours' deliberation, a jury in Justice Rose's Police Court yesterday acquitted Samuel Schenck, former Police Commissioner, on the charge of having falsely imprisoned Attorney Bradner W. Lee.

The alleged false imprisonment occurred more than a year ago. At that time Schenck was a Police Commissioner. Having imbibed too freely one evening he engaged in an altercation with Attorney Lee and a young man with whom Lee was walking.

Schenck was accused of having ordered the arrest of the young man. At the Police Station, Attorney Lee requested bail, and was also ordered under arrest.

Both men were released within a short time, and Schenck resigned from the commission a few days later. Attorney Lee filed a criminal complaint against Schenck and the commissioner was tried by a jury. The jurors failed to agree on a verdict, and the case was set for trial again.

After that the complaint was one of the eyesores of the prosecutor's office. For more than a year it was bandied about as one of the things that did not require immediate attention. The present trial lasted several days, the case going to the jury shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

WITNESS SNEAKS OFF.

Prosecution's Mainstay in Opium-Smuggling Charge Against Miss Raymond Will not Appear.

C. M. Miller, star witness for the prosecution in the case of Miss June Raymond, charged with smuggling opium into the City Jail yesterday, sneaked away.

When Miss Raymond went before Justice Chambers Thursday afternoon for preliminary examination, Miller was put on the stand. Deputy District Attorney Keetch expected to prove by him Miss Raymond's act of putting the opium in the sacks. Miller had only answered one or two questions when the court dismissed the charge, and a new complaint was filed.

Miller, an unwilling witness, then left the courtroom in company with the girl's attorneys.

Yesterday he called Attorney Keetch by telephone. He announced that he had moved from his Los Angeles boarding place, and that he was out in the country. He refused to give his address, and stated that he will not appear in court this morning to attend the second preliminary unless subpoenaed.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents (without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions). Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the point. Well-written letters are liable to be declined merely on account of their length.]

Real Estate Law.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Regarding the proposed real estate agents' license and bond law, evolved by a few monopolistically-inclined real estate agents, I would say, if the realty board knows anything of law they would know that such an act would be class legislation and unconstitutional. Our legislators know these facts, and it would be a poor commentary on their intellect to ask them to even consider the same. What is the sense of trying to pass a law that cannot stand? About three years ago a State usury law was passed, and went into effect and put nearly all money lenders on chattels out of business, but the money lenders fought it. This law was declared class legislation and unconstitutional and knocked out. The real estate agents have made Los Angeles by boosting and hard work. Owners of property beat agents out of commissions if the agent relies on the owner's word, and does not exact a signature in ink, before negotiating the property. The owner and the buyer are protected and guaranteed. All intelligent buyers get titles through the trust companies and transactions are guaranteed.

With all due respect to members, my impression of realty boards is that they are a farce, and amount to a small job for a secretary, who tries to make the few members think that B.T.R.B. (meaning Boom Town Realty Board) tacked on their ad., might lure some tenderfoot buyer away from the majority of agents who do not subscribe and pay for those cabalistic initials. Instead of trying to freeze out small competitors, the realty boards could do their members some good if they would advocate the passage of a law to make owners pay agents the commissions they promise verbally. Also a misdemeanor law against cappers who daily prey on agents giving fictitious names, etc. The general public will not stand for class legislation, and attempts to create a trust may prove a boomerang.

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UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered messages at the Postal Telegraph Company's office, No. 431 South Spring street, for H. Kuns, Mrs. T. Ingraham, George R. Davidson, H. T. Nieiber, Herbert L. Ward, T. H. Watkins, Johan Skrnict, and cable for "Sawyer."

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Crown Point Globe.

Reference has been made to the remarkable results accomplished on the Crown Point Globe property in the Johnnie district by the persistent workers who have had charge of operations for some time past. Milling facilities being entirely wanting, resort was had to hand mortars to extract the high grade values. In this way enough money was obtained to purchase the most necessary equipment, including a one-stamp mill, which has been merrily pounding away for about a month. The result is rather astonishing. The last clean-up gave a bar valued at $3700, making the total production a little over $10,500 for the month. As heretofore announced, a dividend of 1 cent a share has been declared, payable December 28. If this record is kept up, the Crown Point Globe may rightly lay claim to being the lost Breyfogle mine, and the search for the latter can be given up.

Movements of Mining Men.

L. D. Godshall, managing director of the Needles smelter, returned to the plant yesterday, after a busy week in this city.

A. D. Beasley, connected with the Yuma Examiner and interested in mines of the Colorado River region, is at the Hollenbeck.

C. S. Hoyt, one time resident of Beatty, Nev., when "the Chicago of Nevada" was booming, is at the Alexandria, registering from Butte, Mont.

A. D. Meyers and T. A. Johnson, respectively president and secretary of the Johnnie Mining and Milling Company, will leave for the camp on December 15, to arrange for the opening of the company store, the starting up of the mill and the employment of a full force of men. It is expected that the capacity of the mill will be reached by the first of the new year.

George S. Briggs of Needles, Cal., who is mining in the Colorado Cañon, is transacting business here and stopping at the Hollenbeck.

LUDICROUS.

"Examiner's" Six-Year-Old Sale of Realty at Six-Year-Old Price.

Broadway frontage, between Ninth and Tenth streets, selling at $478 a front foot! This is the startling and ridiculous report published by the Los Angeles Examiner Thursday morning, as the following article clipped from its columns tells:

WOMAN PAYS $38,000 FOR BROADWAY LAND.

Mrs. Margaret Irvine of San Francisco yesterday purchased a lot on the west side of Broadway, between Ninth and Tenth, from the United Investment Company of Los Angeles for $38,000.

The property has a frontage of eighty feet and is 200 feet deep. It is described as lot five and the north thirty feet of lot six, block E, John G. Downey tract. It is understood the transaction was made on a speculative basis as property in that neighborhood is steadily improving owing to its commercial location.

The facts of the case are that the land was sold for that price just about six years ago.

Land values in the block under consideration now range from $1750 to $2150 a front foot on the east side of the street, where the lots are only ninety feet in depth, to between $2500 and $3000 on the west side, on which this property is located. Much of the frontage, however, is not for sale at any price, the owners preferring to hold and await the inevitable growth of the business center to where their property is located. The above prices are based on several fifty-year leases on lots on the east side of the street, which have been made on a basis of $1750 to $2000 a front foot. About a year ago, in the height of the "panic," a sale was made in the block on the east side of the street at $2150 a front foot, and, remember, this was for the short lots. The very fact that the west side lots are 150 feet deep would increase their value very materially. However, sales have been made within the last year at the valuations quoted.

The sale reported by the Examiner was made through the agency of William R. Burke and John D. Foster, for the United Investment Company, to Mrs. Margaret Irvine, for $38,000, six years ago, on a contract, which was completed about a year ago. The final papers were filed recently, and probably the deed put on record. The mistake is ludicrous to any one well informed as to local real estate values, but it might do an incalculable damage if uncorrected.

SCHOOL GIRL SLAYS SELF.

Takes Rough on Rats and Dies in Spite of All Efforts to Save Her Life.

"Death from an overdose of rough on rats, taken while mentally deranged," was the certificate signed yesterday by the Coroner in the case of Miss Florence M. Trunick, 17 years of age, of No. 420 Buchanan street, who ended her life Thursday.

The girl was a member of one of the graduating classes of the Polytechnic High School. She was a bright girl, ranking high in her studies, and was well liked by all the members of the class. No cause for her rash act has been found.

Several weeks ago she complained of being nervous. She refused to leave school for a short rest, and insisted upon keeping up with her studies. She grew morose, however, and took no pleasure in the company of her classmates. She drew away from them and would spend recess and study hours by herself, while the others talked and laughed or walked about.

Thursday morning the girl procured the rough on rats. She is thought to have taken the poison while at school, for she soon complained of being ill, and was sent home. The family physician was called in attendance, but it was several hours before the girl finally admitted that she had taken poison. Her only statement was that she wanted to die.

Despite the efforts of Dr. Chamberlain, who was constantly in attendance, the girl died shortly after 10 o'clock, Thursday night. The case was not reported to the Coroner until yesterday morning. An inquest was not considered necessary and the death certificate was issued.

RAILROAD RECORD.

SANTA FE NOT TO BE RELAID.

BIG EXPENDITURES BUT ONLY FOR MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation for Next Year not Yet Announced—Large Influx of High-Class Tourists on All Lines. Companies Making Efforts to Get Them to Come.

The report that the Santa Fé is to spend $1,000,000 in rebuilding the entire line between Point Richmond and Bakersfield, the coming year, is denied by the management.

At the office of General Manager Wells yesterday it was stated that beyond the continuation of the regular maintenance, no special work is to be done on the San Joaquin Valley line, and it was stated positively that the rebuilding of the line between the two points is not contemplated. It is not denied that a large sum will be expended in reconstruction work at certain points, but this will merely be the continuation of the maintenance work now in progress.

Several weeks ago The Times made extended mention of all the work which is under way. The ballasting and relaying of track and work on the Bakersfield terminals were mentioned at that time and it was stated yesterday that beyond this, no special reconstruction work will be done. The report that the line was to be entirely rebuilt was characterized as a "pipe dream."

General Superintendent Hibbard is in the north on a tour of inspection, and while some new work will be done during the year it is not known at this time what it will be, as the budget for 1909 has not been made up. The statement was authorized that no special work of importance is contemplated at this time.

Many Tourists Come.

Now that the cheap colonist rates are off and the movement in this line over, the railroads leading into Los Angeles are finding themselves forced to put on additional cars to take care of the through travel from the East to Southern California. The trunk lines entering the city all report a heavy increase in the high class tourist movement over last year, and while it has just commenced it is said that the travel this year will far exceed that of last. The Los Angeles Limited which arrived in this city Friday brought 110 passengers and two additional Pullmans were added to the regular train at Chicago to take care of the overflow.

The Santa Fé and the Southern Pacific likewise report a large movement and express their belief that the business which has started in so heavy will not show any let up until the season ends.

All the roads from eastern and northern points are making special efforts to induce tourists to visit California and the number who have already been carried is far in excess of last year. The Salt Lake, Santa Fé and Southern Pacific are getting out special literature to attract tourists. The Salt Lake has just gotten out a series of fine views of Southern California points in the form of post cards. These are issued in sets of six different views and are distributed free on the Los Angeles Limited and many thousands are being sent back East by people who are now sojourning under the blue of California skies.

With Ocean Shore Line.

Alexander Galloway, formerly with the Southern Pacific and well known in Los Angeles, has been appointed general superintendent in charge of operation of the Ocean Shore railway, the electric line being built from the northern metropolis south along the coast. Before coming to California in 1902 and entering the Espee service, Mr. Galloway was superintendent of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad.

Agent Aspinwall's Death.

The Salt Lake has just issued a mourning card, announcing the death at San Bernardino, Friday, November 27, of Francis Thomas Aspinwall, district passenger agent in that city. These cards will be sent to railroad officials all over the country.

Mr. Aspinwall's connection with the Salt Lake covered a period of three years, but during that time he was a devoted and loyal employé. His strong, loving character and ability won for him the love and esteem of all with whom he came in contact, either in his official or private capacity. For several years prior to his death, Mr. Aspinwall was an invalid, but his final illness was brief. He was well known to railroad men all over the country and had many friends in this city.

San Juan de Taviche.

The San Juan de Taviche, the short line which was started by C. A. Hamilton of San Francisco, through the heart of the rich Oaxaca mining field has been sold to the Mexican Southern, and will be completed by that road. The road was planned from Oaxaca to Taviche and tapped a rich mining section. Financial difficulties stopped construction and for the past year little has been done. The purchase price was $265,000. Of this amount $200,000 was paid the Consolidated Metals Company, which held a first mortgage, and an additional $25,000 went to other mortgage creditors, leaving $40,000, which was paid to the company. It will connect with the Mexican Southern at Oaxaca and the concession for its building has been extended for one year.

Special Hotel Car.

A special car has been rebuilt by the Pacific Electric Company and placed in service between Los Angeles and Pasadena, for the sole use of the Maryland Hotel at the latter place. The car is painted white and is elegantly fitted throughout. It is now making four trips per day between the hotel and this city. The service was inaugurated a week ago today.

Railroad Briefs.

George Blight Z. Roberts, supervisor for section I of the Pennsylvania Lines, headquarters at Baltimore, Md., is visiting in the city. He is accompanied by his wife.

Dr. C. W. Hibbard, manager of the southwestern department of the Sunset Magazine, will return to the city today from Arizona, where he has been on business matters.

P. A. Wann, general traffic manager of the Salt Lake, will return tonight after a two months' inspection trip over the eastern territory.

H. N. Butterfield of the Delaware Lackawanna and Western, left yesterday for his headquarters in San Francisco.

T. M. Sloan, assistant general freight agent of the Salt Lake, returns to the city today from a trip through the mining fields of Utah and Nevada.

Malone Joyce, district freight and passenger agent of the Colorado Midland, will leave today for San Francisco.

Frank Davey, traveling passenger agent of the Salt Lake in this city, left yesterday for a business trip through the northern part of the State.

CHAMPIONS ELECTED.

Lodge No. 6 of the Fraternal Champions elected officers at its meeting Thursday evening, and Floyd Russell was elected president; Florence Anderson, vice-president; Mary Dauthwaite, treasurer; Clarisia Webster, secretary; Hazel Howard, escort; Bessie Pitzer, assistant escort; Elizabeth Kuhfers, chaplain; Charles Boeson, inner guard; Eugene Saum, outer guard; Clarence Walker and Berlin Pitzer, members of the Finance Committee, and William Dauthwaite and Arthur Cazel, trustees. Next Thursday the lodge will give a leap year dance.

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If you have a friend for whom you believe opera glasses would be appropriate—you can certainly depend on finding here what will suit you—and at the price you are prepared to pay. But shop early—and early in the day, too—for crowds are surprisingly large already.

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Editorial Pen Points

When China is granted a constitution, little Pu Yi will be 12 years old. Pretty young to try trouble.

It is a positive relief to find a member of the Gould family taking to ballooning instead of to scandal.

Old Nord Alexis, nearing the hundred-year mark in life, has found at least one republic that is ungrateful.

In addition to the idle rich and the silly rich, the catalogue has been elongated to include the vicious rich.

Fortunately for the photographers, it is not alone the handsome people who desire to have their pictures taken.

But to be perfectly honest about it, we think that what England's enemies fear most is Tommy Atkins's famous wallop.

As an exceptionally fine country to keep away from, as well as to move out of, we hasten to mention the island of Hayti.

A Merry Christmas has come to depend partly on two things, namely, the state of a man's health and the condition of his pocketbook.

The most inspiring feature of the Owens River project is the fact that there isn't even the suspicion of graft connected with it.

The President seems fated to occupy the front pages. When nothing else puts him there he bumps into some kind of a narrow escape.

The theory that when a man dies he will meet those who have gone before is perhaps the reason that some men would rather not die.

It is hard while the struggle is on, but no man ever knew what it was to possess a soul who has gone through life without a struggle.

Speaking of the lure of the fireside, it is a thing that loses some of its charm when the fireside aforesaid consists of an ill-smelling gas burner.

Another advantage of early Christmas shopping is that it gives you a chance to keep some of the things for yourself instead of giving them away.

It is difficult to understand why men who desire to be forgotten commit suicide instead of having themselves elected to be vice-presidents of something.

A Stockton woman, 65 years of age, is said to be a great coquette. When a woman gets to be as old as that it becomes her better to act more like a croquette.

Every time that Bill Mulholland breaks into print it is merely to report that he has ripped the entrails out of another mountain that stood in the way of the big ditch.

The trouble is that where there is one woman like Margaret Illington who decides to quit the stage for a home, there are a hundred others who quit home for the stage.

Fearing a land invasion of the Germans and attacks from continental powers from balloons, we take it that England has ceased entirely to look for revolutions in Ireland.

This is the time of year when a man who is growing a little old and is none too flush with money, marvels at the rapidity with which one Christmas follows another.

The baby Emperor Pu Yi is happily oblivious of many things. The probabilities are that he doesn't even know that there is such a man on earth as Gen. Homer Lea.

It will be fine when, during some future fiesta, the pretty girls of Los Angeles bombard the populace from balloons with a million roses and other flowers too numerous to mention.

We think it rather severe on the bachelor to designate him as "a curse." Frequently he is merely a man who is doing his best to make some [illegible] happy by not marrying her.

There comes a day, as in the case of Dr. Bull, when the healer cannot heal himself, when the quick brain falters and the strong hand drops helplessly. It is the thing we call death.

There are still too many men in this country who spend weeks of valuable time pulling strings to get a job that they could have had at the start by simply going up and bracing the boss.

Following close on the heels of the scare Lord Roberts threw into the British, Sir Hiram Maxim now has them dippy on the balloon peril. Our alleged "mother country" appears to be in a bad fix.

Had Mr. Archbold displayed the same secretive conservatism in his letter-writing habits that he shows on the witness stand, the late political campaign would have lacked certain amusing features.

That deep lull that you may have noticed during the past forty-eight hours was probably caused by the fact that not a single murder nor suicide has been reported from San Francisco during the space of time mentioned.

Let us rejoice in the assurance that Col. Mulholland will bombard the citadel of the Owens River within the specified time, thus releasing from the high Sierras the crystal flood that is to lave the feet of the Queen City of the world.

POOR BRYAN!

W. J. B. has dubbed his latest fiasco the "Mystery of 1908." It was once the "Crime of 1896," then the "Betrayal of 1900." This time it is a mystery too deep for penetration.

Mr. Bryan is not a student. He is a dreamer. If he were practical he would not find any mystery in his last defeat.

Look at the ledger account. Here is his great manager—the trust-made millionaire become a trust-baiter—one Col. Moses Cincinnatus Wetmore, the "star" performer of the tobacco trust. He subscribed $1000 to the campaign fund. He never paid it in, but brought in a bill which canceled all the $1000 except 15 cents. The bill was for hot birds and cold bots, lobster salads and Welsh rarebits at the Chicago Auditorium, where you pay 50 cents for a glass of water and $1 for a roast potato. Of course you drink out of cut glass and eat with solid silver forks.

But how did the suppers, which went to fortify the Wetmore inner man, aid the Bryan campaign?

Herman Ritter and Sons of New York wrote $37,000 in the subscription book, then sent out great bundles of "sample copies" of the Staats-Zeitung all over the country, and charged them up against their subscription to the campaign fund at new subscriber rates until the ledger balanced. No one could read the Staats-Zeitung except the Germans, and since these clear-headed folk "fought mit Siegel," who ever know them to vote the Democratic ticket?

No mystery at all, dear Bill! Just bad book-keeping. Good money, that might have held Tammany braves in line, thrown away!

PLENTY OF CHEAP MONEY.

Congress will take up again this winter the amendment of the banking laws. We are assured from Washington that nothing radical will be attempted, the efforts being confined to a few not important details.

When the Aldrich-Vreeman act was passed at the last sitting of Congress, after so much debate revealing wide divergence of views, a committee was appointed to study the whole subject of banking and report at a future day. Members of this committee spent much of the vacation in Europe, but will not be prepared to make a full report to this Congress. This will be made to the next Congress, but possibly not for more than a year.

The act passed last year expires by limitation, as it was looked upon only as a temporary measure. But it is expected to be effective in case of any slight emergency that may arise.

The business world is safe from flurry for several years. Business is down to a normal basis and likely to remain there. The great central banks of the world are full of money. For almost 200 days the discount rate of the Bank of England has been at 2½ per cent. This is an unusually long period for so low a rate. Bankers look for a lower rate if there is to be any change at all soon.

The bank has been in existence sixty-four years as now organized. During this time 2 per cent. has been the discount rate for 10 per cent. of the time and 2½ for 14 per cent. of the time.

So if the rate should drop to 2 per cent. it would be at the lowest point known, and in any case the rate is unusually low, very unusual for so long a period of days consecutively.

Coming away from London to Los Angeles, the national banks here, according to a showing made a few days ago, carry 40 to 49 per cent. of their deposits in the cash reserve fund. So long as banks pursue so conservative a course there will be no money stringency.

Merchants are using more money. The clearings for this week will be fully up to the normal. When the clearinghouse handles $2,000,000 exchanges each day of the week, the active use of money is near the record mark.

Congress is therefore wise in not attempting at this time any general tinkering of the banking act. The Federal laws need revision, but the subject should pass through a very elaborate discussion before a new act is passed.

HISTORY AND "LABOR."

A thorough course in history, both modern and ancient, may be recommended as the best cure for the pessimist, for the crank who is always thinking the world is going backward, for the labor unionist, socialist and anarchist always bewailing the wrongs of "labor." Let these people, or those among them who are even half honest, know what was the relation of the workers of bygone years and centuries to capital or to the leaders of the world, and their views would undergo a radical change. Seldom do we find the real student of history in the ranks of the grumblers.

Before the Christian era in Rome, Greece and other countries the laborers were slaves. No wages, large or small, for them; no eight-hour rules, but toil early and late as the master willed; no home to go to when through, whether early or late; no right to strike or quit, peacefully or otherwise; no right to petition for redress of grievance; the only reward for work, food and clothes—and the lash for the least fault. In those days the master had the power of life and death. In Rome there were those who had slaves tortured to death out of sheer love of cruelty and there was not one-hundredth part as much thought of it as there is today when a driver mistreats his horse.

For the freeman, except in the highest walks of life, there was little that one today would consider worth living for. The soldier's life was about the only occupation of importance open to many thousands of men. The soldier's compensation would be beneath contempt nowadays, except indeed when chances for loot came his way, and then the commanders received most of that. They all had the same privilege, viz: to die for "glory," sometimes in defense of their country, but at others in a cause of which they knew nothing and cared less. Not even all had the privilege of dying on the battlefield, more thousands fell victims to the diseases caused by unsanitary camps, ignorance and superstition. At the very best their lives were such as would be considered unendurable to the lowest outcast in this country today.

History is a record of battles and of the careers of great military chieftains. And these men amassed fortunes greater in proportion to the world's wealth then than are the greatest fortunes of modern times, at the expense not only of their opponents, but also at the expense of their soldiers, the men who fought and bled practically without reward.

In the early centuries of the Christian era slavery was greatly reduced and the condition of those so held was much mitigated; some protection was given to their lives and they obtained some rights. But with all this the condition of the great mass of the people was pitiful in the extreme, judged by our standards. The tyranny of the feudal system upon the people is a by-word in history and the royal powers that succeeded it wrought but little improvement.

The system of "wage slavery," as the Socialists call it, was in full force centuries ago. Macaulay tells us that in the reign of Charles II and James II a shilling a day was considered munificent wages by English skilled laborers. An old song of that time roundly abuses certain employers for robbing their men of half their wages. These capitalists, the song says, paid 6 pence (12 cents) a day and the servants considered that a shilling (24 cents) would have been fair. Think of it, you who earn ten, fifteen or even twenty times the larger of these amounts! Nor was living cheap. On the contrary, all that we consider necessities of life cost much more than now. Of course, "it did not cost those people as much as it does us," for the very simple reason that it cannot possibly cost any one more than he has or than he can get.

Even in the last century what has been the condition in America? There are persons living who remember when wages were less than half what they are and hours of labor half again as long.

In the upper walks of society in ancient times there was much splendor but little real comfort. The laborer today is better off than the ancient king. The death rate, especially among children, even of royalty, was appalling for many centuries. Dynasties sometimes became extinct after ten or twelve children had been born to the reigning couple and had died despite the best that the highest skill of the times could do to save them.

Better be the humblest of the land today than the highest of bygone centuries.

WHY MASSACHUSETTS BALLOT LAW?

If Oklahoma had a law which would prohibit all party designations on the ticket there would be no cause for wonder. But when Massachusetts adopts this form of ballot one is lost in amazement.

The Massachusetts law requires that the names of all candidates for all offices shall be printed in an alphabetical column. Why? Is the motive to destroy all party action? Whether that is the purpose or not, that is the effect. Outside of this it is impossible to see any object in such a requirement.

We are fairly intelligent people in the main. But there are a great many voters who are not highly intelligent. From all points of view, that of saving time and expense at elections, that of making it easier for the average voter to express his preferences, and that of getting at the popular will, the simpler the ballot the better. Will some one point out any desirable result to be reached by this Massachusetts fad?

We have a system of voting now quite complicated enough, and affording effective safeguards against fraud. Most of the States require that all voters shall register. With careful challenges at the polls, repeating or the voting of those who have no vote is difficult. The Australian ballot guards absolutely the secrecy of the ballot if election officers understand the law and see that it is enforced. This way of voting leaves the voter free to exercise his rights as he pleases. If he wishes to cast a straight party vote he does it in a few moments. It is his privilege to vote so if he wishes, and it is an attempt at disfranchisement for any citizen to deny him this right.

This ballot is complicated enough. At every election one sees old men, Americans, intelligent, spoil one or more ballots when they attempt to "scratch" their ticket. In not a few cases they make a final failure of the job. Why make the process of casting the vote hopelessly confusing for many citizens? Whatever the object in view, the scheme is advocated by those who look upon party organization as an evil in our political affairs. There never was a more thin and "iridescent dream" than this. It is a false principle and the dream is hopeless of realization. This country ought not to be deprived of party government and cannot be.

We appeal to the history of 100 years. From the inception of the representative republic under which we have flourished so well, parties have ruled the country. Every attempt to eliminate party control has resulted in the formation of a new party, and not one of those movements has been free of one of the defects which attach to party organization. So-called non-partisan movements, even in local affairs, have always brought a new party into being. Did you ever know of a non-partisan movement without its organization, without its boss? There you have a party, and the worst feature of party life. Did you ever know any number of citizens so hide-bound, so irremediably partisan, as a non-partisan party? Do they not all vote the party ticket from top to bottom, and do these tickets ever differ from others in containing all clean, honest, able men? Is not the non-partisan boss always the most tyrannical? Does he not resort to tricks lower than any other boss?

And if party could be eliminated from public affairs, would that be a good thing? Let us pass over the obvious fact that parties afford the only means by which we can divide on questions of fundamental principle. We will say nothing about the divergent views we hold on tariff, 16-to-1 silver, Debsism, Gompersism, and other questions on which we divide. Take party government in the abstract; what harm is there in it? What other method will give us the same protection from dishonesty and inefficiency on the part of those we elect to office? If there are no parties, then it all comes down to a merely personal issue. Smith seeks office because he is Smith. He is accountable for his acts only to Smith. He has no eye watching him, because he is responsible to himself alone for what he does. He only has to ask his own consent to run for office.

But in a party there is party pride. The members of the party feel responsible for the conduct of the man who holds office. If a party puts up unfit men the voters will not elect them—and thus the party suffers.

But there is the other party with its Argus eyes always awake. Here party responsibility counts for most. Where government is by party the office-holder is watched by those who opposed his election and who would like to succeed him at the next election. There is no way to reach this responsibility outside of party. The office-holder is as fully accountable to the whole body of citizenship under party rule as if there were none. He is under particular responsibility to his own party besides, and last of all he has to answer to the critical, suspicious, ever-wakeful eyes of the other party.

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TALKING SHOP!

When You Came.

Dear, when you came the day was bright:
The moments roseate to my sight,
Flew by me; all my heart was glad
Without you; but I loved you, lad—
Loved, in my own despite!

As morn, I thought, so would be night,
Nor feared eclipsing cloud, nor blight—
Nay; fancied naught to life could add,
Dear, when you came!

And now—the good I deemed my right—
But you with love will still requite
The follies that have made you sad!
You smile—there—whisper!—nothing had
Illumined for me love's alter-light,
Dear, when you came!
—[Florence Earl Coates, in Harper's Weekly.

STREAKS OF WIT.

To What Base Uses.

One of our State-street brokers recently received a note from a customer bearing the cryptic message: "Richard III, act 1, line 138." Turning to the passage he read: "Now, by St. Paul!" And next moment he had given the order.—[Boston Transcript.

Woman's Peculiarity Explained.

Sparks: I wonder why it is a woman lets out everything you tell her.

Sharks: My dear boy, a woman has only two views of a secret—either it is not worth keeping or it is too good to keep.—[London Opinion.

Placing a Limit.

"I'm opposed to admittin' any more States for some time."

"And why?"

"Becuz," explained the rural solon, "then we'll hafter build a warship apiece to name after 'em."—[Baltimore Herald.

Have More Staying Qualities.

"Now they claim that the human body contains sulphur."

"In what amount?"

"Oh, in varying quantities."

"Well, that may account for some girls making better matches than others."—[Chicago Tribune.

Few Are Worth It.

"That Italian nobleman's people insist on an enormous dot."

"Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox, "his managers seem to think he ought to get as much money as if he were an opera singer."—[Washington (D. C.) Star.

Two Sides to It.

She: If a man loves his wife as much as she loves him, he will stop wasting his money on cigars if she asks him.

He: Yes; but if his wife loves him as much as she ought to love a man who loves her enough to stop it if she asks him, she won't ask him.—[M. A. P.

Wanted a Prime Cut.

"I don't know much about buying meat," admitted the young husband. "How do the prices run?"

"According to location," explained the dealer. "Then gimme a two-pound roast, best you have in the orchestra circle."

A Relief to Have It.

City Editor: What do you mean by saying in this robbery story that "Brown was knocked down and relieved of $100." Were you ever robbed yourself?

New Reporter: No, sir.

City Editor: That accounts for it. If you'd been robbed you wouldn't describe the loss of $100 as a relief.—[St. Louis Republic.

Reason for Happiness.

"Perkins looks very happy this year."

"He has reason to be. He says that after his wife and children had been fitted out with their fall wardrobes there was enough left over to enable him to have a new velvet collar put on his overcoat."—[Life.

HOROSCOPE.

Saturday, December 5, 1908.
BY COZETTE.

Gold gleameth in the day's triumphant sign,
And Commerce opens every hidden mine.

Jupiter rules these twenty-four hours with a [illegible] liant force. In square with the sun and in [illegible] aspect with the moon, he marks this 340th [illegible] the year as one of the best for business and [illegible]

An especially excellent sign is this over [illegible] commercial undertakings, large or small. [illegible] new places of business, office, store or shop. [illegible] take new work. Add new lines to trade.

A splendid promise lies over journeys [illegible] taken for business purposes during these [illegible] four hours.

Salesmen may hope to succeed in getting [illegible] ers whose trade they have sought in vain [illegible] fore.

Unanus holds a position this day that [illegible] rewards to scientists and students.

At 10:15 p.m. especial potency is ascribed to [illegible] under the moon—cress, coral-wort, lettuce, [illegible] kin, saxifrage and wintergreen.

Dealings between the sexes will be for[illegible] especially after 4 p.m.

Women with this birthdate must beware of [illegible] rels either in society or business.

The sign is for a good business year for [illegible] with this birthdate.

Children are born this day under an aspect [illegible] ing quickness of temper. Girls may prove [illegible] to control, but will probably be clever. Boys [illegible] be successful in business, but must avoid law[illegible]

Anatomy for Beginners.

Proceeding in a southerly direction from [illegible] torso, we have the hips, useful for padding [illegible] the legs. The legs hold up the body, and are [illegible] times used in walking, but when riding in [illegible] mobiles they take up valuable space which [illegible] wise might be employed to better advantage.

Attached to the legs are the feet. Some [illegible] ties of feet are cold. Some people are born [illegible] cold feet, others acquire cold feet, and still [illegible] have cold feet thrust upon them.

The surface of the body is covered with [illegible] which either hangs in graceful loops or is stre[illegible] tightly from bone to bone.

On the face it is known as complexion, [illegible] is used extensively for commercial purposes [illegible] dermitologists, painters and decorators.

Between the cuticle and the bones are the [illegible] cles, which hold the bones together and [illegible] them from falling out and littering up the [illegible] as we walk along.

Packed neatly and yet compactly inside the [illegible] are the heart, the liver and the lungs; also [illegible] gall, which in Americans is abnormally large.

These organs are used occasionally by the [illegible] who own them, but their real purpose is to [illegible] nish surgeons a living.—[Thomas L. Masson, [illegible] December Lippincott's.

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(Linen Section.)

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Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6.

I Kings iii, 4-15: "Solomon Chooses Wisdom."

THE CONNECTION.

After David abdicated in favor of Solomon, about 1015 B.C., he must have lived as long as six months. Then Solomon found both the reins of government in his own hands. He found a nation of 6,000,000 people, in a territory of 12,000 square miles. A great task was before him, to organize the worship of the nation, solidify their political interests, fortify the frontiers, and lead the nation through the evident crisis then at hand—they were transition times. He put his hand to the work with the perfect confidence of his father David, with complete and explicit instructions from David about building the temple, about the proper treatment of his enemies, and about walking blameless before the Lord in everything; and with the marked prepossession of all the people in his favor. The first blunder he made was a brilliant political marriage with the daughter of the King of Egypt. This was not in violation of any explicit law of God, but it had bad moral results. Despite his blunder, he loves God, and intensely desires the highest welfare of his people. He makes a journey to Gibeon, six miles north of Jerusalem, a place so lofty that all Judea is visible from it, the place where Saul established the tabernacle after he destroyed Nob, where the brazen altar made by Bezaleel stood, and one of the two chief worshiping places of the nation—there, in devotedness and dependence on God to offer sacrifices and pray for divine help.

THE LESSON.

I.

His Wise Prayer. 4-9.

"And the King went to Gibeon to sacrifice there; for that was the great high place; a thousand burnt-offerings did Solomon offer upon that altar. In Gibeon Jehovah appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, ask what I shall give thee. And Solomon said, thou hast showed unto thy servant David, my father, great loving kindness, according as he walked before thee in truth, and in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart with thee; and thou has kept for him this great loving kindness, that thou hast given him a son to sit on his throne, as it is this day. And now, O Jehovah my God, thou hast made thy servant King instead of David, my father; and I am but a little child; I know not how to go out or come in. And thy servant is in the midst of thy people which thou hast chosen, a great people, that cannot be numbered nor counted for multitude. Give they servant therefore an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and evil; for who is able to judge this thy great people?"

There was an injunction against offering sacrifices on the "high places," but it did not apply to Solomon, because there was no place distinguished as yet like Jerusalem. High places led to idolatry, but here was God's own tabernacle where it was fitting that Solomon should worship.

1. A Sense of Responsibility.

Quite naturally Solomon would dream of that which was so continually on his mind during his waking hours, viz., his great responsibility as king. He was full of anxiety to rule wisely and justly, and every breath and thought was a prayer for divine help. God answers his waking and sleeping desire through the medium of a dream, as he has so often done before and since, as in the instances of Abraham and Joseph, and Daniel and Joseph, the husband of Mary, and Paul. "Ask what I shall give them," was the privilege God gave him. Very extraordinary. Indeed, and yet something like that is given to almost every one.

2. God's Past Mercies.

Solomon begins to state the grounds upon which he makes his plea, not asserting a claim, but justifying a humble request. He reminds God that He had shown a kindness to his father, David, that was only limited by David's moral capacity—not merit—and that capacity was shown by his conduct in walking before God "in truth and in righteousness and in uprightness of heart." He further recognizes a specific kindness shown by God to his father in appointing that father's son—himself—"to sit on his throne." So far he shows deep penetration into Providence, high appreciation of his father, and thorough consciousness of being in the hands of God.

3. God's Controlling Hand.

As it was God's hand that placed him on the throne, he was emboldened to ask what was in his mind. This constituted a second argument with God.

4. Solomon's Inexperience.

And surely, if one is in a given place of service because God has made personal choice of him for that place, he has a right to pray for guidance from God, and has a right to expect it. He was probably 20 years old, and had shown rare wisdom, so much so that David (ii., 9) called him "a wise man." Yet such was his inexperience in matters of government, and such was the work to be done, that he felt as unfit for it as a little child.

5. The Tremendous Task.

It was a great, turbulent, unorganized mass of people, foes without and growing iniquity within. A man of inexperience would shrink from the task of ruling them; and the task was all the more exacting because they were a "chosen nation," requiring, therefore, a "choice" ruler. Here is a fourth argument. Well for Solomon that he felt his insufficiency for his responsibility, and sought help of God. Well for him that he saw so clearly the whole relation of the nation to God, to himself and themselves. The nation was at a crisis, a transition period, of their history. They were no longer a nation of shepherds and farmers, but were becoming merchants and traders from connection with outside nations. Idolatry was coming in, through the aboriginal Canaanites; through their intimate neighbors, the Phenicians and Syrians and Egyptians, and in its most degrading and alarming forms at that; through the art and literature of their neighbors, which were based on worship of the objects of nature. Polygamy was breaking up the sanctity of the home. The simplicity of faith, the purity of home, the chaste worship of God were endangered. Part of this Solomon was aware of, part of it not. In view of God's mercies to David, of Solomon's choice by God, his inexperience as a ruler, and the exacting task before him, he makes his request.

(6.) Unselfishness.

One of the functions of the king was that of judge as well as ruler, and in the exercise of that function he needed a moral insight into principles and a practical sagacity in applying them. This was a good request in that it was unselfish—not for personal gain, but solely in the interest of his people. It was wise, for one must already have more or less of wisdom to appreciate and desire wisdom in preference to any other desirable thing. But it was not the best request, because it had not the highest motive—aimed at securing the secular good of the people rather than the pleasure of God; and it did not seek the best thing—wisdom, or insight and sagacity, is good, but holiness is better. But it was much better than most prayer—the first prayer for wisdom we have any account of, even if it was the wisdom of the head rather than of the heart.

II.

God's Loving Response. 10-14.

"And the speech pleased the Lord, that Solomon had asked this thing. And God said unto him, because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself long life, neither hast thou asked riches for thyself, nor hast thou asked the life of thine enemies, but hast asked for thy understanding to discern justice; behold, I have done according to thy word; lo, I have given thee a wise and understanding heart; so that there hath been none like thee before thee, neither after thee shall any arise like unto thee. And I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches and honor, so that there shall not be any among the kings like unto thee, all thy days. And if thou wilt walk in my ways, to keep my statutes and my commandments, as thy father David did walk, then I will lengthen thy days."

With the state of his mind, God was pleased even before the request was made. He was pleased with a prayer that was so much better than men usually make, and that expressed clearly one need of the suppliant, even though it did not express his very highest need. In that mind was almost fulfilled Christ's injunction: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." It pleased God, for He had highest pleasure in giving, and here was afforded an opportunity to bestow His larger gifts.

1. The First Thing First.

It would have been human to ask for "long life," in which to enjoy the honors and spleadors of a throne. It would also have been much after the custom of kings to want "riches," and to make his power the means of filling his own private purse. There were "enemies" to his sway, hereditary and personal enemies, and an eastern king's accession to the throne was generally signalized by the bloody extinction of the whole inimical list. Now, if Solomon prefers wisdom, for ruling and judging, above the fulfillment of kingly dreams of wealth, above long years in which to enjoy both wealth and power, above the happy riddance or unscrupulous and designing enemies, then it is something to please God, indeed. The prayer was for wisdom to perform the duties of ruler and judge. The wisdom promised is enough for that purpose, and more—for he is to have an insight into nature and man, that will mark him as unequaled among all men; and truly, no one has arisen since then with such versatility, depth, subtleness and practical sagacity, save the One "greater than Solomon." He was the greatest secular character in all history.

(2.) Other things added:

Further, because he put wisdom above all things, God promises him "riches and honor" so great as to put him above all kingsp of his age. After a few small wars he settled into a peaceful reign, when the white wings of commerce from every land hovered over their sky. A brisk trade with Phenicia sprang up; he built towns all along the commercial roads from the Euphrates ot the Nile; the trade of Asia and Africa passed through his dominion. Nations and tribes paid annual tribute, and kings and chiefs sent rich presents to him. In this way was the promise of wealth and honor fulfilled; but we are most interested just at this point in the casual relation between the wise choice and these earthly blessings promised. If Solomon had asked for wisdom, having his desire set on wisdom only as a means to secure wealth and fame, it would have effectually unfitted him for either; and God's answer would have been different. To choose wrong is to unfit oneself for the right. Still another blessing was promised conditionally—"length of days." As a matter of fact he never lived to be really an old man, and because he failed to meet the conditions on which it was promised—"if thou wilt walk in My ways, to keep my statutes and My commandments, as they father, David, did."

III.

Solomon's Grateful Offering. 15.

"And Solomon awoke; and, behold, it was a dream; and he came to Jerusalem, and stood before the ark of the covenant of Jehovah, and offered up burnt-offerings, and offered up peace-offerings, and made a feast to all his servants."

And yet he knew that the dream had been the medium for a real interview with God, that through it he had received God's answer to his prayerful mind. Through the dream he had shown what he really was and what was his uppermost desire; through it God had shown what he purposed and what Solomon could expect. As soon as he had this answer to his desires "he came to Jerusalem," both to return to his home and also to offer sacrifices in the home sanctuary which David had built to hold the ark, he offered up burnt offerings, and offered peace offerings, completing the series of sacrifices and showing his gratitude to God.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

Dreams become significant when they are the concentrated essence of the main stream of the waking thought and picturesquely exhibit the tendency of the character. This is precisely the use of dreams; our tendencies unbridled by reason and fact, run on to results; and we see the character unimpeded by social checks, and as it would be, were it unmodified by the restraints and efforts and external considerations of our conscious hours. Our vanity, our pride, our malice, our impurity, our deceit, our every evil passion has free play, and shows us its unfinished result, and in so vivid and true, though caricatured, a form that we are startled and withdrawn from our purpose.—[Dods.

He is a foolish and cruel father who promises compliance with all his child's unknown wishes. Not such is our Father's loving disciples. It is to those who "abide in Christ" and have Him abiding in them, molding their longings and prayers, that the great promise is sealed: "Ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you."—[Maclaran.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That the first thing to do is to talk to God about our own work.

(2.) That new duties call for new devotions.

(3.) That God's favor to our fathers is a call to our confidence.

(4.) That "God does not give blank checks to those whom he cannot trust to fill them our right."

(5.) That the study and the struggle to know duty sharpens the sense of duty.

(6.) That God usually adds something extra when we pray aright.

(7.) That we are wise when we desire wisdom.

(8.) That the wisest man may become the greatest fool.

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Miss Lorine M. Graves of this city, and Robbins Little of Pasadena, were married yesterday morning in Trinity Church, San José, by the Rev. David Graham. Only the couple's closest friends knew of their plans. Accompanied by Mrs. K. C. Palmer, Miss Forbes and Leslie Gay, the lovers quite unexpectedly left the campus to complete their pretty college romance. Mrs. Palmer, who is house mother of Mrs. Little, née Miss Graves's sorority, gave the bride away, while Leslie Gay, a fraternity brother to the groom, was ring-bearer. Miss Forbes, chum and sorority sister of the bride, was hustled along with the party without her hat, because time could not be spared for preparations.

Next Monday was the date planned for the marriage, but Cupid's arrows had pierced too deeply for them to wait so long. Of course, the sudden marriage comes as a great surprise to the student friends of the couple, though it was generally known that they were engaged. Both were prominent juniors in Stanford University. Miss Little is prominent both socially and in college activities. She belongs to the Gamma Phi Beta sorority. The groom is a prominent athlete, having been a member of his class's Rugby and baseball teams. He belongs to the Beta Theta Pi fraternity. The couple did not disclose their bridal trip itinerary, though their home will be in San Miguel, where the groom will engage in the cattle business.

Christian Endeavor.

SQUARING DEED WITH CREED.

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies—Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People's Union, Epworth League, etc.—for Dec. 6. Topic: "Consistent Living." James iii, 13.

By William T. Ellis.

It has often been said that the only Bible which most people know is that which they read in the lives of professing Christians. That idea was in the mind of the New Testament writer when he exhorted disciples to be "living epistles, known and read of all men." The unanswerable apologetic for Christianity is a consistent life, patterned after the example of Jesus.

An example is more eloquent than a sermon.

The world cannot be organized into godliness, or preached into godliness, but it may be led into godliness. The simple, quiet, unposing practice of their professions by Christians would do more to set this old world right than all the powerful organizations that bear the Christian name.

Men are not concerned nowadays with other men's creeds. They are, however, tremendously interested in their conduct. Everybody is willing to go to school to the saint. Goodness is contagious. The holy man does most to make the world holier. More efficacious for human betterment than all the multiform programmes of social reform that are being proposed, is simple righteousness in all of life's relations, on the part of those who have named themselves as followers of Jesus.

"Speak louder!" cried the preacher to the hypocrite, who was "testifying" in prayer meeting; "speak louder! Your life makes so much noise that I cannot hear what you say."

A familiar, and usually pernicious, phrase runs: "Business is business." The words are commonly uttered as an excuse for conduct that would not square with the Sermon on the Mount. "Business is business," yes, but business is also religion, or else neither is wholly what it claims to be.

If a person is a true Christian his dog and his horse will have reason to know it.

Too much of our religion is up in the air. It consists of rhapsodies and emotions, rather than downright, every-day righteousness and exertion. Religion should have wings, it is true; but it equally should have hands and feet and tongue. Only the creed translated into deed is of any importance for either world.

"Yes," asserted a laborer, who was laying an asphalt walk, when somebody asked him about his employer; "Mr. A's a great church worker, and a pretty nice man, but he doesn't put tar enough in his walks." In the day of judgment which is today, and in the final Judgment Day, Mr. A will be judged by the asphalt walks he has laid, rather than by the prayer-meeting speeches he has made.

A consistent life is not the product of rules. Regulations in matters of conduct are bound to conflict. The true consistency springs from a dominant principle enthroned in the heart. When a person says, "For me to live is money," his whole course is sure to radiate mercenariness. When a person says, "For me to live is pleasure," the search for enjoyment inevitably peeps out from beneath every action. But when a person can truly say: "For me to live is Christ," then his life will be a consistent life, radiating Christliness in the workshop and in the home as truly as in the religious meeting

"Not he that nameth the Name,
But he that doeth the deed,"

is forever the true disciple. Jesus Himself laid down the eternal law, "By their fruits shall ye know them." James stresses the same all-important principle in the present lesson, when he gently asks, "Doth the fountain send forth from the same opening sweet water and bitter? Can a fig tree, my brethren, yield olives, or a vine figs?" Every life must have some sort of fundamental consistency either for or against Christ. And only by the fruits is this consistency to be determined.

Consistency is a jewel that shines in all heavenly crowns, and in all the crowns of heavenly living on earth.

News and Notes.

Arrangements are already being made for the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance meeting, which is to be held in New York next October. This will bring delegates from all lands having Presbyterian or Reformed churches.

It has been proposed that the four hundredth anniversary of Calvin's birth, which is to be celebrated by Presbyterians next year, be observed by founding a training school for ministers in France, the land of Calvin's birth.

The Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Washington, D. C., after vainly electing four men to its vacant episcopate, successfully called a local rector, Rev. Dr. Alfred H. Harding. It was whispered that the great expense of maintaining this see was one reason for some of the declinations of the election, and special provision was made for the expenses of the diocese when Dr. Harding was chosen.

What is called "the only Catholic church on wheels" is now touring this country. It is an adaptation by the Catholic Church Extension Society of a familiar "chapel car" of Protestant missions. It carries the missionaries of this society to remote points throughout the country; is a center for missionary propaganda, and the home of the missionaries as they labor to establish churches in new communities. It recently has visited a number of large cities, where it has been an object of great interest to thousands of persons.

The well-known minister of the Disciples of Christ, Dr. Herbert L. Willett, a lecturer in the Divinity School of the University of Chicago, has been the center of a great deal of controversy in the church papers of late. It has been charged that he is a "heretic," and an organized protest has been made against his appearance upon the programme of the Disciples' centennial celebration next year. Prof. Willett has made answer to these criticisms, declaring his belief in miracles, in the deity of Jesus and in the reality of the resurrection.

The Pope has established a semi-monthly official publication for the promulgation of official decrees. Hitherto this end has been accomplished merely by affixing copies of the papal edicts to the doors of the Vatican and at other frequented places in Rome.

"Christmas stamps," costing a penny apiece, are being issued by the American National Red Cross, and the proceeds will be devoted to the fight against tuberculosis. The stamps contain a holly wreath, a red cross and the legend, "Merry Christmas," and are affixed to letters and parcels in addition to the required postage.

Chapman and Alexander, with their company of evangelists, will work in Boston during January.

The recent convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in Milwaukee, which enrolled 700 delegates, marked the quarter-centennial of the movement.

The Protestant Episcopal Diocese of New York, at its November meeting, after considerable debate, decided upon a plan for codperation with labor unions and other bodies organized for public service.

The work of the late Rev. E. Blakeslee, founder of the Blakeslee lesson system, will be carried on as heretofore, with Rev. Dr. Frank K. Sanders as consulting editor and Franklin P. Shumway of Boston as president of the Bible Study Publishing Company.

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$25.00 Suits or Overcoats today	$18.50	$50.00 Suits or Overcoats today	$33.25
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REV. HUGH K. WALKER, D.D., the pastor, will preach tomorrow at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. Subjects, morning, "The Larger Vision and Greater Task of Our Corporate Church Life." Evening, "Paradise Lost and Regained." Baraca Class 9:30. All young men between the ages of 17 and 25 are invited to join. Y.P.S.C.E. meets at 6:15.

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St. John's Episcopal Church
514 W. Adams St. (near Figueroa)

REV. LEWIS GOUVERNEUR MORRIS, Rector. Services 7:30, 8 a.m., 11 a.m. Sermon subject, "THE GREAT VALUE OF THE SCRIPTURES." This is a FREE church. Take Grand or Dalton ave. cars to Adams or Chester Place University car to Chester Place and walk through Chester Place.

Ev. Lutherische Dreieinigkeits Kirche
Ecke W. 8 und Flower Str.

Gottesdienste: Morgens 10:30. Abends 7:30. Wochenschule, Engl.-Deut. W. 13 and Cherry sts. ARTH. E. MICHEL, Pastor.

First United Presbyterian Church
Ninth and Figueroa Sts.

REV. W. W. LOGAN, D.D., Pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a.m. At 7:30 p.m. Dr. John M. Ross will preach, and a special song service will be given. Miss Minnie Jenkins, organist. All are welcome.

Temple Baptist Church
Worshiping in the Auditorium, corner Fifth and Olive tSs.

Morning sermon, "THE COUNTERSIGN," by the pastor.

REV. ROBERT J. BURDETTE, D.D. MUSICAL SERVICE AT 7:30. Splendid music will be rendered by the great chorus, by the trained quartette and by soloists.

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11 a.m.—Holy Communion. Sermon by the Rector. Subject, "RELIGION AT 212 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT."
7:30—Evening Prayer. Stainer's Cantata, "Daughters of Jarius." 100 voices in the choir.

Great Revival Services
First Baptist Church
Flower Street, near Seventh.

REV. J. Q. A. HENRY, Pastor.

Preaching on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Morning theme, "Back to the Cross." Communion and the reception of new members. Mr. Young, Dr. Torrey's soloist, will sing.

Evening topic, "The Face of Jesus Christ." Baptism.

Revival services every night. Mr. Young will have charge of the music.

All people welcome.

First Congregational Church
Hope Street, near Ninth.

11 a.m.—Rev. Warren F. Day, D.D., Pastor Emeritus, will preach: "WHAT WAS ACCOMPLISHED WHEN CHRIST'S WORK ON EARTH WAS DONE."
7:45 p.m.—Rev. Wm. Horace Day, D.D., Pastor, will preach: "THE ENERGIES OF MEN."

Mr. Harry Clifford Lott will sing at the morning service, "The New Jerusalem," with violin obligato by Mr. Nowland.

Bethesda Presbyterian Church
Cor. Clanton and Paloma Sts.

G. D. HEUVER, Minister.
Sunday-school at 9:45. Subjects for sermons at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., "Christ at Bethesda" and "Away from Christ."

First Presbyterian Church
Twentieth and Figueroa.

WM. A. HUNTER, D.D., Minister.
Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject, "The Divine-Human Christ." Offertory solo by Mr. E. H. Cooper, Prof. J. W. Moore, organist. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock, subject, "What It Costs to Be a Blessing to Others." Sunday-school 9:45 a.m. Dr. Jacoby will conduct the Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening, 7:45 to 8:45, regular prayer service.

Universalism Replies
Cumnock Hall, 1500 Figueroa

REV. C. ELLWOOD NASH, D.D., Universalist pastor, will speak in Cumnock Hall, 1500 Figueroa, at 11 a.m., on "Is Dr. Dorchester Orthodox?" Also in Blanchard Hall, 3 p.m., on "Universalism the Voice of the Age." Both sides. Questions in writing will be answered and courteously answered. Universalists and affiliations should rally.

Grand View Presbyterian Church
W. Adams St., near Vermont Ave.

REV. W. H. FISHBURN, D.D., Pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject, "Christ, That Lead." Evening subject, "[illegible] Making."

New Jerusalem Christian Church
230½ South Union.

Sunday, Dec. 6th, 10:45, Dr. Frank A. Gilmore will preach. Subject, "The Making of a Man." Evening, 7:30, Rev. J. M. Lofton will speak on the "Christian Socialist Fellowship." Monday evening, 8 o'clock, Dr. Gilmore will lecture on "Woman, the Weak Man." Admission, 25c.

Magnolia Avenue Christian Church
W. 25th St. and Magnolia Ave.

REV. JESSE P. McKNIGHT, Pastor. Sunday-school 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor 6:15 p.m. Church services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. E. W. Thornton, Long Beach, will preach at the morning service. The pastor will preach in the evening on "The Afterglow Power of the Cross." All welcome.

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READY TO SHOW THEM.

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the entertainment of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce party, which reaches here next Thursday morning. The visitors will be met at their special train by a delegation from the local chamber and will be whirled about the city in automobiles. After a lunch at the Alexandria, a trip will be taken in private cars over the Los Angeles-Pacific lines. Gen. M. H. Sherman will show the northerners the oil fields at Sherman and a trip to the beaches may also be taken. In the evening there will be a public reception at the Chamber of Commerce. Friday morning the San Franciscans continue their journey. They will stop at points along the Southern Pacific and see the remarkable development of the Imperial Valley.

LODGE OF SORROW.

Los Angeles Lodge No. 99, B.P.O. Elks, will hold the annual Lodge of Sorrow, Sunday afternoon, December 6, 1908, 3 p.m., at the new Majestic Theater, Broadway, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Rev. E. J. Harper will deliver the invocation. Isadore Dockweiler the oration, and Edmund B. Drake the eulogy. There will be several solos rendered by first class talent. Tickets for admission may be had on application to the secretary or members of the Memorial Committee.

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Simpson Auditorium, 734 S. Hope st. Services Sunday 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; sermon from the Christian Science Quarterly. Subject, "God the Only Cause and Creator." Children's Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock at Simpson Auditorium and also the Gamut Club, 1044 S. Hope st., at 8:15. Reading-rooms, 139-141 Herman W. Hellman Bldg., Spring and Fourth sts., open daily, Sundays excepted, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALVARADO and Pico sts. Arthur S. Phelps, minister. Morning subject "The Vineyard Tragedy." Night topic, "The Young Husband."

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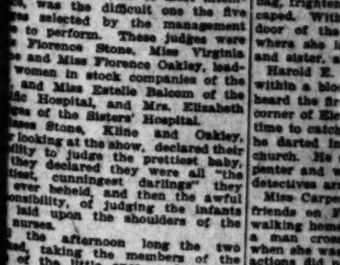

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The babies began to arrive at the exposition yesterday afternoon, about 1; they came in go-carts, carriages and some in automobiles. A place near the Bishop exhibit was comfortably arranged for the precious charges and their mammas. But soon these quarters were filled, the babies overflowed into the aisles. Chairs were provided for 500, but these were soon occupied and the stream of cooing, wiggling, squirming bundles of humanity continued ceaselessly until they took possession of every inch of spare space. Manager Newman was obliged to borrow all the chairs in the neighborhood.

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The afternoon long the two ladies had, taking the members of the crowd of the little ones, and making note of the points upon which they were to be judged. It was an awful task, but the two worked heroically and quickly, all unmindful of the dear mothers' efforts to influence the verdict. "Oh, such as," as, "Did you note baby's red, bald?" "You're giving it to her, such as," "Did you note baby's red, bald?" "You're giving the prize for bed-headed babies, ain't it?" "My baby is the smartest baby of its age, that ever was, he's only 7 months old, see how he notices?" Such remarks were all taken and received good naturedly, but it was realized that it would be impossible to please the winners until this morning. Each of the four points upon which the babies were judged counted 25 points, and the babies receiving the highest average received the prize.

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The twins who will receive prizes of three cups will be identified by No. 447, No. 448 and No. 346. The first twins will receive first prizes, the second prizes. No. 28 receives the first prize offered for the handsomest red-headed boy, which is a silver cup. No. 138 wins the second prize offered for red-headed boy, and No. 210 captures the second prize offered for red-headed girl. No. 118, a cute pickaninny, who was in a class all by herself, also captured a prize.

The prizes will be awarded this afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock. Winners are requested to be on hand to receive the awards between these hours.

Fifty pounds of graham crackers, provided through the generosity of the Bishop people, were consumed by the little visitors to the exposition yesterday. This will give some idea of how many children were there.

Today will be characterized as "School Day" at the exposition, and all the children who attend today have been assured of a merry time. The management has made the admission fee for the children 5 cents. Many little special events have been arranged in honor of "School Children's Day."

CANTATA.

Stainer's cantata, "The Daughter of Jairus," will be presented at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Ernest Douglas, with Percy S. Hallett, organist, and Rev. C. S. Murphy, pianist. The chorus will be composed of the vested choirs of St. Paul's, All Saints', Pasadena, St. Stephen's, Hollywood and St. Athanasius, this city. The invitation to hear this fine cantata is extended to everybody.

BABY-MEDAL MOULDER?

(Continued From First Page.)

that it was evidently the plan of Ernst and his probable associates to perfect their counterfeit coins, and put them into general circulation as rapidly as possible.

FOLLOW SLENDER CLEW.

Several weeks ago it was reported to Secret Service Agent George W. Hazen that a bogus $5 gold piece had been passed on a conductor of the Central-avenue line. Hazen and his assistant, William M. Farrell, at once went to work on the case, for they had been warned that a counterfeiting gang would begin operations here as soon as the gambling-racing season opened at Arcadia.

By following up a slender clew that the passer of the spurious coin lived somewhere near the Central-avenue car line, the two agents at last located the house occupied by Ernst, his wife, and 2-year-old baby. It is a small cottage in the rear of a large residence, and has three separate methods of ingress and egress. One is by the front gate, another by an alleyway, and still another by a back entrance.

The house was guarded night and day and Hazen soon observed that Mrs. Ernst kept a close watch at the front door. For a time the officers noticed that a number of callers were received every evening, but for several nights the place has remained apparently deserted.

SUSPECT CAPTURED.

Though the Secret Service men were naturally desirous of arresting the whole gang, it was evident a warning of some sort had been received, and yesterday afternoon, it was decided to take Ernst. He was found at the Pacific Electric building as he was about to board a car for Arcadia. A search revealed no counterfeit coins, but a bright $5 gold piece, dated, 1901, was discovered. This was evidently a "pattern piece," say the officers.

Hazen and Farrell went with Ernst to his home. As they neared the entrance, the prisoner begged to be allowed to go ahead to prepare his wife, he explained. The officers say the request was merely a dodge in order that he might destroy the evidence.

"My wife is very delicate and the shock may hurt her," said Ernst in loud tones as the officers pushed open the door and sprang into the living-room. No one was there and Ernst jumped to the door leading into another room and gave a peculiar knock. Hazen ran into the room and saw Mrs. Ernst in the act of taking a plaster mould from the stove. She tried to hide it, but the officer secured it and will use it as evidence.

IN TROUBLE BEFORE.

The mould was a good one, with impresses of 50-cent pieces and $5 gold coins. Out in the back yard, the officers found a sack partly filled with broken plaster moulds.

Mrs. Ernst sobbed bitterly as her husband was taken away. "Oh, how could you do it," she wailed. "You know you got into trouble before." Her husband scowled at her and told her in German to keep very quiet and to talk with no one about the case.

When asked to explain how he came to make the moulds, Ernst said that he was trying to cast some medals to give the prize babies at the Made in Southern California Exposition. I heard that there was to be a baby show and thought it would be nice to send the manager some of my medals," he asserted.

"My father was in the Franco-Prussian War," he went on, "and he was one of the soldiers who got a medal for gallant conduct. I once made a cast of the medal and have always been interested in such things. I am an expert art glass decorated by trade, but business is a little slack just now. I was educated in Munich, and have been in this country five years."

PLAYS 'POSSUM.

The alleged counterfeiter is educated, and is believed to have been engaged in the business for years. From letters found in his room the police believe Ernst has lived in Chicago, Winnipeg, Man.; Seattle and San Francisco. He had a number of books on metallurgy which he secured from the Public Library. He had a blast furnace for melting various metals and is regarded as deeply versed in all such subjects. His evident training makes him a dangerous man in the estimation of the Federal officers.

When questioned in the office of the United States District Attorney, Ernst exhibited the densest ignorance and when cornered broke into a gust of Teutonic phrases. "He is simply playing off," said Hazen. "He knows the game is up and is trying to pose as an innocent. He tried to warn his wife to destroy all evidence of his counterfeiting paraphernalia, but we secured all of it. As yet we have no line on his previous work, but will probably hear from Chicago and other points within a short time. I am confident that he is an old offender."

Ernst was arraigned before United States Commissioner Williams and his bail was fixed at $2000. The case will be brought before the Federal grand jury at its next session.

Automobile load of babies at the "Made-here" show yesterday.

STARTLING.

BRAVE WOMAN FOILS NEGRO.

BANDIT JUMPS FROM SHELTER OF CHURCH DOOR.

Young Musician Seized by Robber, Who Attempts to Steal Her Purse, but Is Put to Flight by Screams and Escapes Before Detectives Arrive.

Within half a block of her residence, Miss Pearl Carpenter, a young and pretty musician, was seized by a negro, who leaped from the shadowy entrance of the First Christian Church at Eleventh and Hope streets, about 11:15 o'clock last night, and attempted to snatch her pocketbook. She screamed and held tightly to her handbag, frightening her assailant, who escaped. With a bound she reached the door of the Beresford Apartments, where she is living with her mother and sister, and collapsed.

Harold E. Hess, an electrician, was within a block of the church when he heard the first scream. He ran to the corner of Eleventh and Hope streets in time to catch a glimpse of the man as he darted into an alley back of the church. He saw nothing of Miss Carpenter and waited on the corner until detectives arrived there.

Miss Carpenter had been visiting friends on Figueroa street, and was walking home when attacked. She saw a man cross the street intersection when she was near the church, but his actions did not arouse her suspicions. Miss Carpenter had passed the entrance of the church when she was grabbed from behind. The negro caught her by the arms and pinioned them to her side. He made two desperate efforts to jerk her purse away from her, but when she continued screaming he released her and disappeared into Eleventh street, running west.

Miss Carpenter said that he was roughly dressed, wearing a black soft hat and a white soft shirt. Further than this she could give no description of her assailant. A short time ago Miss Carpenter was awakened by somebody trying the door to her apartment. She raised an alarm, arousing the occupants of the adjoining room. The burglar escaped by a rear stairway.

DOG WATCHES DEAD MASTER.

Prominent Citizen of Butte Plunges Over Precipice and Is Killed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Alexander MacAuley, a prominent business man, politician and legislator of this city, was killed in the high peaks of the Teton mountains near Midvale, in a remote and wild section in the northwestern part of the State, Tuesday, by falling over a precipice while in pursuit of sheep, and but for the fact that Mr. MacAuley's dog stood vigil all night and day over the body of his master, the remains, in all probability, would never have been found.

MacAuley, who was an ardent sportsman, disregarding the warnings of the mountaineers against venturing high among the cliffs and precipices at this time of the year, and with a companion went forth. MacAuley disappeared soon after they parted and a day and a half later his companion searching for him heard the barking of MacAuley's dog. The animal was found by the side of the partly snow-covered corpse and evidently had crawled around the high precipice, over which MacAuley had plunged, to where the body lay.

THE MILTON TERCENTENARY is discussed in The Times Magazine for next Sunday.

EMPLOYEES ARE HEIRS.

Caleb Chase Distributes $300,000 to Men Working in Grocery House and Charities.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—A will which contains many public bequests and provides for practically every employé of one of Boston's largest business houses, was made public last night in the document left by the late Caleb Chase, a whole sale grocer. The gifts aggregate more than $300,000. To certain members connected for many years with the firm, is given $2000 each to the fifty-five traveling salesmen, $1000 each; to members of the sales and office departments, $500 each; to members of the shipping department and factory, $200 each; to widows of four deceased salesmen, $500 each; to the People's Palace, Salvation Army, $15,000.

A bequeast of $10,000 each is made to ten local charitable institutions, and ten similar societies will receive $5000 each.

DIVIDING TOBACCO CROP.

Independents Apportion Shares of Product Secured Through Equity Society.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 4.—Practically the closing scene and transaction in the great and bitterly-fought Burley tobacco war with the tobacco trust, during the last two years, was witnessed here today, when representatives of independent tobacco factories in all parts of the country met to apportion the tobacco secured by the Independent Manufacturers' Association from the Equity Society.

The quantity secured by the Independent Manufacturers' Association was 25 per cent., or 20,000,000 pounds, which will be divided among the Independents.

It is understood that when the work of apportioning the tobacco is concluded, preliminary steps will be taken to build up and strengthen the Independent Manufacturers' Association, and make of it a powerful organization to resist any further encroachments of the so-called tobacco trust on the trade and business of the independent manufacturers.

It is also understood the independents, when the organization is finally completed, will cooperate with the element of tobacco planters which opposes the formation of another equity pool for the crop of 1909.

BATTLE IN AFRICA.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—A telegram from French West Africa says that a detachment of French Spahis have had a serious engagement with a band of Moors. The French lost in killed, one lieutenant and twelve privates, while the enemy suffered heavy losses and was routed. Another communication from the Governor of Indo-China says that four native leaders in a plot to poison a detachment of French troops were arrested yesterday.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

PASADENA.

HOLD-UP PLAN RAISES STORM.

CHURCHMEN AND WOMEN ARE AVERSE TO IDEA.

Think Chariot Races by Professionals Bad and Proposed Gun Play Worse—Directors Resent Criticism by People Whose Subscriptions Don't Amount to Much.

Office of The Times, No. 36 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Dec. 5.—There is a rumble of an approaching storm over the heads of the Programme Committee of the Tournament of Roses' Association. It comes from the quiet centers of the churches and women's clubs of the town, and it is expected to break at any moment. For the past several years, ever since the chariot races have been the main drawing card in the afternoon at the park, there has been criticism more or less severe. When this year it was announced that there would be two race-track men, Richard Carmen and C. C. West, pitted against each other, the church people believed they had cause for complaint. But now a greater danger looms up, according to a prominent clubwoman. The much-applauded stage hold-up of last year, which is to be repeated in better form this year, is called a bad example for the small boys. Church folk and clubwomen think it detrimental.

The directors believe otherwise. They fear no ill effect on the boys of the city. They say they have worked hard to secure money for the grandstand at Tournament Park, and are endeavoring to put on a programme which will draw a crowd for the afternoon, and defray the enormous expense of the morning floral parade. They also remark that the Federation of Men's Clubs and the women's clubs, whose members are criticising the programme, did not contribute materially to the fund to increase the grandstand or to enlarge the park.

ENTRIES COMING IN FAST.

Entries are coming in fast for the Tournament of Roses parade. Besides the Pennsylvania Society, which will have a float depicting the scene of Penn's treaty with the Indians, the Maine Society has entered, and the G.A.R. is to have a representative display. The Pioneers' Society of this city is planning to have a float, and the Ohio Society may enter one.

Revel English, who has charge of the equestrian department, states that the class will be well filled, and expects close competition. He has secured the Vaquero Club for the presentation of wild West cowboy life in the parade.

The secretary, Willis Johnson, is endeavoring to secure at least twenty-five more members before the first of the year, which will make 200.

CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

The legal department of the city is working strenuously in an effort to complete several proposed amendments to the charter in order that they may be brought up for consideration at a meeting of the City Council Tuesday. Among the most important is that to do away with the city levying assessment on property and collecting taxes, the entire work to be turned over to the county. Another is to provide for an ordinance forcing property owners to keep their street parkings clean, or for the city to do it and charge the same to the owners. Other proposed amendments relate to compensation of officers at city elections, making mandatory the filing of maps in duplicate with the city on all tracts, plats of which are approved by the Council, the issuance of licenses through the city tax collector, instead of the City Clerk, increasing the compensation of certain officials, including the Mayor, whose salary is to be changed from $1500 to $2000 a year, and for the election of Councilmen by wards.

OFFER FOR STOCK.

Stockholders in the Tom Reed mine have, according to one of the largest, Charlie Grimes, received an offer of $2.50 a share. Grimes says New York capitalists are behind the deal, and are represented here by John H. Hobbs, a mining man of Denver. The mine is located near Kingman, Ariz., and 60 shares are represented. This would make the purchasing price $1,900,000. Of this money Pasadena men will receive the bulk.

FACES SERIOUS CHARGE.

George Phillips, a Greek, was arrested late Thursday night by Detective Schuits and lodged in the City Jail, on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. He is believed to have attacked Mrs. Louis Fried on Thursday night near Hotel Mitchell.

Phillips will have his preliminary examination on Monday morning at 10 o'clock and in lieu of not furnishing $1000 bail, he was sent to the County Jail by Justice Klamroth, yesterday.

NEW MASONIC OFFICERS.

Officers in the Corona Lodge, F. & A.M., have been elected for the coming year thus: Percival J. Priaulx, W. M.; W. H. Holland and Hugh Montgomery, Senior and Junior Wardens; W. K. Gaylord, Secretary, and Frank L. Slats, Treasurer.

BASKETBALL GAME.

Throop Polytechnic Institute girls will show up in athletic affairs for the first time this year, when the basketball team meets the five girls from the Long Beach High Schol team, on the Throop courts at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. This is the first of a busy schedule planned for the girls. Miss Mary Plummer of the Los Angeles High School has coached them for the second time.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

Through a combination of local dairies the price of milk has been advanced to 12 cents a quart and in some instances on certified milk to 15 cents.

The monthly meeting of the Realty Board will be held at Hotel Green Monday night. Dinner will be served at 6:15 o'clock.

The New Century Club will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. F. A. Wells, No. 201 North Madison avenue. Dean Chamberlain of Throop Institute will talk on "Four Twentieth Century Schools."

Analysis of the coffee found in the house of the Vest family the morning they were poisoned has been completed by Prof. W. K. Gaylord of Throop Institute. Slight traces of poison were found, the nature of which has not been determined. Chief of Police Favour now favors the theory that the poisoning was of ptomaine nature.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo and bungalows, Pasadena.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

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Evanston Inn and cottages now open.

Less than two miles from Santa Anita Park. La Vista Grande Hotel, Monrovia. Special low rates. Table and service better than ever.

KITTY PROVES A POLECAT.

Sierra Madre Man Is so Sorry He Caressed the Furry Animal.

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 4.—J. L. Stevenson is wearing a new suit of clothes. This is nothing unusual, but the cause is. Stevenson is manager for a large orange orchard. He also possesses a fine baritone voice and sings in the church choir Sundays. The other evening he dressed in his best for choir rehearsal. As he started through the orchard he discovered what he thought was a kitten. Stevenson is fond of pets and stooped down to caress kitty. Kitty proved to be a polecat. It scurried around Stevenson and he became nearly asyphxiated from the nauseating fumes. He started to enter the house to change his clothes, but changed his mind and went to the barn, soon to emerge in overalls and jumper. The clothes he wore are now buried in the wash. Stevenson did not attend rehearsal that night. His tailor received a hurry call for a new suit. Stevenson says he is not as fond of kittens as he formerly was.

HOME-BUILDING.

FIGURES THAT MEAN HOUSES.

POMONA'S BUILDING PERMITS FOR YEAR ARE LARGE.

Nearly Four Hundred Thousand Dollars in Eleven Months Is the Encouraging Total—Royal Arch Masons Elect Officers and Confer Fourth Degree on Two Candidates.

POMONA, Dec. 4.—The building permits issued by Inspector Cowles this year to the 1st inst. represent $383,000. It is likely about $50,000 will be added this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Fich are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hawley and two children of Santa Paula for the holidays.

Mrs. M. Flowers, mother of Mrs. Thomas Ball, is critically ill at the home of her daughter, at the corner of Fourth and Gordon streets. Mrs. Flowers is nearly 80 years old.

FOURTH DEGREE.

Pomona Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, held a stated meeting last evening, and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: George W. Cowdery, High Priest; Fred R. Lewis, King; Clyde S. Wentworth, Scribe; Charles M. Stone, Treasurer, and Joseph R. Garthside, Secretary. The fourth degree was conferred upon two candidates after the election. Applications from three persons were received.

At the annual bazaar held by the ladies of Pilgrim Congregational Church yesterday afternoon and evening a substantial sum was realised. A cafeteria supper was served, and a musical programme rendered by Misses Lillian Birchard, Effa Kelly, Stella Washburn and Messrs. Victor Young and Raymond Davis.

LEAVES FAMILY WELL OFF.

H. G. Amberson is dead at the family home, No. 943 North Gordon street, at the age of 50 years. The deceased was a Norwegian and lived for many years in Wisconsin, where he accumulated a fortune of $50,000 in the general merchandise business. He came here seven years ago, suffering from tuberculosis. He made fortunate investments in oranges groves, so that he leaves his widow and nine children more than comfortably well off.

H. F. Norcross has sold his six-room house and three lots on East Holt avenue and Center street to Jay J. White for a reported consideration of $4000.

The regular monthly social and business meeting of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church, was held at the home of Howard Ulery on Glendale avenue. An enjoyable evening was spent playing Christmas games.

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SOUTH PASADENA.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 4.—The Masonic Lodge last evening elected as officers: John W. Shenk, W. M.; C. W. Wilson, S. W.; W. C. Brainerd, Treasurer; John N. Hunt, Secretary.

Dr. Benjamin Price and family of Iowa City, have leased Rev. C. W. Iler's residence at No. 714 Prospect avenue, for a year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Nettleton of Pasadena have moved to No. 1015 Fremont avenue, and will reside with their daughter, Mrs. Merton Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hunker of Buena Vista street and Meridian avenue have returned from a European tour.

The members of the local Brotherhood of the Presbyterian Church, were guests at a banquet given by the Alhambra Brotherhood last evening.

GLENDALE.

GLENDALE, Dec. 4.—The public library, having outgrown its old quarters, today opened in a commodious room on Glendale avenue, near the old postoffice site. The librarian is Mrs. J. C. Danford.

The bus line which has been in operation from Brand boulevard to Glendale avenue since the removal of the Fourth-street spur track from the Pacific Electric road about two years ago, has been discontinued.

TROPICO.

TROPICO, Dec. 4.—W. B. Pratt was painfully though not seriously injured by the collapsing of a scaffold today on Glendale avenue. James Bradford, aged 70, was also on the scaffolding. He fell nine feet, and received a few scratches and a severe shaking up. Mr. Pratt was unable to arise, and was carried to his home near by. Upon examination it was found that no bones were broken.

The funeral services of George Fate Dutton, a pioneer resident, were held at the family residence on Brand boulevard this afternoon, under the auspices of Samson Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

CONFLICT.

WATER BONDS ARE OPPOSED.

LONG BEACH ANTIS LIBERALLY SUPPLIED WITH FUNDS.

Advocates of Municipal Ownership Are not Asleep, However, and Mayor Windham Calls Public Meeting to Place Proposition Squarely Before the Electors.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 4.—Opposition has developed to the proposition to vote bonds for the purchase of a municipal water system, the 15th inst. The Anti-Water Bonds League, of which L. B. Palmer is president, and C. C. Doran, secretary, liberally supplied with funds from some source, has begun a campaign through the newspapers and advises the defeat of the bonds on the ground that taxes are too high now.

The advocates of the bond issue are not asleep, however, Mayor Windham today issued a call for a meeting at the auditorium Tuesday evening, at which he will place the proposition squarely before the voters. Facts and figures relative to the cost under municipal ownership will be given.

EARLY SETTLERS ORGANIZE.

An association of the early settlers of this city was organized last night at the residence of W. M. Craig. Twenty-four pioneers who came to this section twenty and more years ago were present. Officers elected are: President, Mrs. Lucy Craig; vice-president, Edward Johns; secretary, Carl Hendrickson.

Long Beach Lodge of Masons has elected as officers, Clark Shaw, Worshipful Master; Leon Johnson, Senior Warden; J. D. Graham, Junior Warden; W. A. Tucker, Secretary; W. S. Stevens, Treasurer.

The local Odd Fellows last night elected the following officers: Noble Grand, H. D. Wilson; Vice Grand, George Melchard; Secretary, G. H. Miller; Treasurer, R. W. Reed; Trustee, Leslie Folsom.

Althouse Bros., real estate, 430 S. Broadway.

COMPTON.

COMPTON, Dec. 4.—J. B. Procter and family have left for Phoenix, to spend the winter. Mr. Procter has a contract to put down a number of twelve and fifteen-inch wells for the Southwestern Sugar Company at Glendale, Ariz.

Modern Woodmen of America have elected the following officers: Consul, G. W. Shaw; Advisor, Harry Schildwachter; Banker, W. W. Oliver; Clerk, F. M. Lee; Escort, F. A. Bronson; Watchman, S. J. Higgins; Sentry, James Burden; Manager, N. L. Breckenridge; Manager, three years, J. A. Winsted; Physician, A. L. Holcomb.

The Royal Neighbors elected the following officers: Oracle, Mrs. J. Burden; Vice-Oracle, Mrs. S. J. Higgins; Past Oracle, Mrs. C. J. Miller, Chancellor, Mrs. Nellie Winsted; Recorder, Mrs. F. M. Lee; Receiver, Mrs. L. Oliver; Marshal, Mrs. L. P. Urquhart; Inner Sentinel, Mrs. Emma Clark; Outer Sentinel, Mrs. Kittie White; Manager, J. Oates; Physician, A. L. Holcomb. After the elections both lodges adjourned to the banquet hall where an oyster supper was served by the Woodmen.

Negotiations are in progress for a site on which to build a jail.

SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 4.—Santa Monica will have free mail delivery at the end of ninety days, provided the recommendations of Inspectors Hall and Knox, who today made a tour of inspection of the city, are approved by the postal department. The inspectors were driven about the city in automobiles and prominent citizens and members of the Council and Board of Trade showed them the sights.

F. L. Calkins was today named to act as sergeant of the police force, vice E. E. Randall, resigned.

The Santa Monica Bay Board of Associated Charities has elected officers for the new year. Mrs. L. E. Hubbell is president; Mrs. F. H. Taft, vice-president; W. I. Hull, treasurer; S. W. Odell, secretary; Miss Bertha R. Hunt, W. I. Hull, Mrs. L. E. Hubbell, Miss Nettie Rice, J. B. Procter and Mrs. F. H. Taft, directors.

AVALON.

AVALON, Dec. 4.—The proposition which the attorneys of the Santa Catalina Island Company have agreed upon to make this town a closed port will be made public at a meeting on the 9th inst. by the Business Men's Association. Capt. William Banning, president of the company, is expected to attend.

The explosion of a gasoline stove at noon today in the home of F. G. O'Hara on Marrilla avenue brought out the fire brigade. While taking the burning stove from the house one man was burned about the face and hands.

CLAREMONT.

CLAREMONT, Dec. 4.—Ten contestants for the Binney declamation prizes were selected yesterday to compete in the finals the 16th inst. They are: William Crawford, Helen Bacon, Gertrude Palmer, Florence Patton, Elizabeth Utt, Barton P. Aborn, Paul Fleming, Barbara Sanford, Clyde Holley and William N. Hill. Prof. Hotson, Rev. Mr. Rich and Mrs. C. C. Stearns acted as judges.

The Women's Union was addressed this afternoon by Mrs. George Marsh of Bulgaria, who told of her mission-ary work in that country.

MONROVIA.

MONROVIA, Dec. 4.—Quarterly pension payments to old soldiers today amounted to over $4000. Many Civil War veterans, attracted by the genial climate, have taken up residence here.

J. A. Crandall, chief of the Fire Department, and other city officials took an auto trip to Riverside today to witness a test demonstration of the efficiency of an auto chemical engine and hose cart. In accordance with Crandall's suggestion, data of results achieved with auto fire apparatus in neighboring cities is being gathered as a preliminary to a probable bond issue for better fire protection.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bachert of Lancaster have taken a house on North Encinitas avenue.

Eben Ingram has returned from New York.

The finishing touches are being put on the Gaynes Block on South Myrtle avenue. The building is of pressed brick, 55x80 feet, with a large basement, and represents an investment of $20,000.

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BREEZY.

CITY GREETS BIG CRUISER.

Officers of French Warship Feted at Venice.

Banquet and Reception for Visiting Sea Dogs.

Vessel Delayed in Leaving San Pedro Bay.

VENICE, Dec. 4.—Although the residents of Venice passed a long day in awaiting the arrival of the French cruiser, the welcome to the Catinat, was none the less cordial when she dropped anchor off the breakwater shortly after 5 o'clock. She was due here at 10 in the morning, and the reception committees took turns at the lookout.

Her delay in getting under way from San Pedro deprived the Venetians of the pleasure of boarding the cruiser, and the several pleasing afternoon social affairs that had been planned for the shore were called off perforce.

The official Reception Committee went by launch to meet and greet the officers of the cruiser and to welcome them as representatives of the first foreign warship to visit their harbor. The reception ashore was conducted in the ship Cabrillo's grill-room, and immediately preceded the banquet.

BRIEF BUT HEARTY.

It was brief but hearty. Scheduled to begin at 6 o'clock, the banquet was an hour and a half late in starting. The Cabrillo's banquet room was prettily decorated for the occasion. The tri-color and the three-colored flags of the United States were beautifully and appropriately blended. Adized with red and white carnations in endless quantity was white, the lily of France. On the tables were smilax and violets, and above them a floral cruiser.

President H. B. Eakins of the Board of Trustees introduced Rector Alliot, who filled the post of toastmaster, speaking French and English. Commodore Buchard thanked the people most cordially for their reception and endeavors to make the visit a pleasing one. Prof. Eauclaire spoke in high commendation of American citizenship. C. J. Noyes responded to the toast, "France and America." He referred to the enduring friendship of the two nations.

The reception, concert and ball, scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock, began with a grand march, none the less beautiful for the enforced postponement. The function was held in the auditorium, beautifully decorated. The March was led by Commodore Buchard and Mrs. Abbot Kinney. Following them came the other officers, officials of the two cities, members of the Reception Committee, civil organization and other bodies. Dancing lasted until late.

HEALTHY.

REAL REVIVAL AT WILMINGTON.

WATER FRONT OPERATIONS ARE CAUSE OF AWAKENING.

Every Dwelling House Occupied. Banning, Espee and Pacific Electric Companies Reach Understanding With Trustees Regarding Applications for Licenses.

WILMINGTON, Dec. 4.—Since the dredges here begun operations on the water front there has been a revival of interest in real estate. Every day brings people looking for opportunities. Several families have moved into town, and every available dwelling-house is occupied. The action of the Wilmington Dock Company in marking its large list of lots for sale at a low figure, as compared with the prices two years ago, will have the effect of fixing a standard for the town. These lots are chiefly in the Bay View tract.

H. Barndollar has also placed a large number of business lots on Rebecca street on the market at reasonable prices. The object of this action is to forestall and prevent any possible sudden and unhealthy boom, which might come with the opening of the harbor.

BIG ENTERPRISES.

Messrs. Frank E. Shaw and George Flint, Long Beach real estate promoters, will open an office in Wilmington, and will promote some big enterprises. Mr. Greenleaf, son-in-law of Mrs. Mary H. Banning, was in town yesterday, negotiating with them for putting a large tract of the Banning estate, owned by Mrs. Lucy Greenleaf, his wife, on the market. This is high-class residence property, and its subdivision will give an impetus to real estate movement.

The feeling here now is one of hopefulness and confidence in the rapid advancement of Wilmington.

RAPID PROGRESS.

The Banning dredger is making rapid progress on the immediate front of this city. At the meeting of the Trustees on Monday night, representatives of the Banning company, the Southern Pacific company and the Pacific Electric company were present. Although no business was transacted, owing to the absence of two of the Trustees and the City Attorney, it is understood that new applications for franchises were presented. This time they come direct from the Southern Pacific and Pacific Electric, as the spur tracks, which are asked for in the franchises to be laid on certain streets, are to connect with the main lines of these companies. As the Trustees had expressed the opinion that it would be better to have the application come direct from the railway companies instead of from the Bannings, their request has been complied with. This is understood to be for the purpose of avoiding a possible double rate for transfer of freight from these spur tracks if owned by the Bannings, to the main lines as owned by the other companies. It is understood also that these amended franchises will conform to the terms agreed upon by the Trustees at a recent private conference with these companies. The Banning company has demonstrated that it means business by rushing its operation and the people are well satisfied that the great enterprise will be pushed to completion, and are, therefore, willing that any reasonable concessions should be granted. All expressions of hostility have been silenced and everything now promises rapid progress.

The electric dredger of the Consolidated Lumber Company has been delayed in starting, owing to the severe storms interfering with the adjustment of the electric power to the machine. This power is furnished by the Edison Electric Company.

The entertainment given by the High School recently was a financial success. The funds are to pay for the suits of the basketball team of young ladies. A good surplus was left over after paying for these.

The Presbyterian Church will hold communion services and reception of members Sunday morning.

T. W. Lincoln, editor of the Journal, yesterday received a letter from the Adjutant-General of the Grand Army of the Republic, announcing his appointment as aide-de-camp for California on the staff of the Commander-in-chief, Henry M. Nevins, whose headquarters are in Jersey City. As the next annual encampment will be held in Salt Lake City, where Mr. Lincoln spent several years, he will arrange to attend.

Ramona Park. See Althouse Bros.

OCEAN PARK.

OCEAN PARK, Dec. 4.—Weather permitting, there will be an exhibition lawn tennis match at the Country Club courts tomorrow afternoon, the participants being Misses May and Florence Sutton. At this time will be played the finals of the postponed tournament of last July. There will also be played the finals in mixed doubles, Mrs. B. O. Bruce and T. C. Bundy contesting with Mrs. Robert Farquhar and L. R. Freeman.

The free delivery situation as applying to Ocean Park was investigated this afternoon by Postal Inspectors Hall and Knox. They will continue their labors tomorrow. Ocean Park has asked that free delivery be established here and upon the reports of these officers the reply to the prayer will be based.

LORDSBURG.

LORDSBURG, Dec. 4.—Leroy W. Peck, a former Lordsburg boy, for several years Southern Pacific agent at Tustin, has been promoted to agent at Crafton, the terminus on the Redlands branch.

POPE AT WORK AGAIN.

ROME, Dec. 4.—The Correspondenza Romano, a Vatican organ, asserts that contrary to reports in circulation that the Pope has suffered a relapse and again has been obliged to take to his bed, the Pontiff has practically recovered from his recent indisposition and today descended from the third floor of the Vatican to his official quarters on the second floor. There he received Cardinal Merry Del Val and worked several hours on political affairs.

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Oklahoma Man's Body Recovered After Dynamiting—Baby Born Before Drowning.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GUTHRIE (Okla.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following the dragging and dynamiting in the Cottonwood River, within Guthrie limits, the body of A. J. Whitney, superintendent of the Farmers' Oil Mill, who was drowned in Sunday's flood, was recovered from the river bed débris. The disappearance Sunday night has been borne to his wife, who was anticipating this event. Whitney was trying to reach her when he was drowned. Whitney, a graduate of Kansas State University and was for several years confidential secretary to W. E. Stanley, Governor-elect of Kansas. He carried $7000 life insurance.

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ROCK PILE STRIKE OFF.

Bread and Water Diet and Lack of Bedding Unpopular at Santa Ana.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 4.—The rockpile strike is broken, and the prisoners are now breaking rock. Last Monday the hobos declared they would not work. A bread and water diet and lack of bedding at night brought them to see the matter differently, and today all but three are at their tasks. Two of the gang have been given additional thirty-day sentences for disturbing the peace. They set up a yell to celebrate the starting of the strike, and the jailer turned a stream of water on them to quell the disturbance.

TRIBUTES.

MASS FLOWERS UPON COFFIN.

RIVERSIDE PAYS LAST HONORS TO POLICE CHIEF.

With the Solemn and Beautiful Service of Grand Army, Funeral of Capt. Johnson Is Held—Elaborate Preparations for Dedication of the New Masonic Temple.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 4.—With the solemn and beautiful service of the Grand Army, the funeral of Capt. William B. Johnson, Chief of Police, who was accidentally shot Wednesday, was held this afternoon in the First Methodist Church.

During the funeral, all city offices were closed. The city and county officials attended the service in a body, as did the members of the local Grand Army Post, the Woman's Relief Corps, the Odd Fellows and Junior Order of United American Mechanics. Co. M, N.G.C., formed an escort, and the members of the city police force officiated as pall bearers. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Words of tribute and sympathy were voiced by Rev. H. E. Benton, pastor of All Souls Universalist Church, and Rev. J. O. Cutts, chaplain of the Grand Army Post. Prayer was offered by Rev. R. S. Fisher, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Seldom has the funeral of any citizen been so largely attended in Riverside. The interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

DEDICATION PLANS.

Elaborate preparations are in progress for the dedication of the new Masonic Temple, Tuesday afternoon. Grand Master Lawler of Los Angeles will give the principal address, and many prominent Masons of Southern California are expected. The dedication will close with a banquet and ball in the Temple in the evening. An opening reception will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening, when the public will be given opportunity to inspect the beautiful new building.

ESCONDIDO.

ESCONDIDO, Dec. 4.—Zachariah Oleson, who was given fifteen days in which to pay a fine of $50 for setting a brush fire or spend fifty days in jail, has finally decided to make the payment. By his act thousands of dollars' worth of property in the Twin Oaks section was destroyed.

It is estimated that by the close of the month 3000 acres of the valley will be planted to eucalyptus trees. Of this the Pratt Eucalyptus Company of Los Angeles will have 700 acres, and the San Francisco Eucalyptus Company, which recently bought a section of the big Bernardo ranch, will have 1000 acres.

It now looks as though the receipts at the postoffice would show a gain over last year of more than $500. Figures at the Santa Fé freight depot show that the incoming shipments to the valley have been 100 carloads greater this year than last.

ANAHEIM.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 4.—The Sunset Telephone Company has reduced the rates from Anaheim to Los Angeles and also from Fullerton to Los Angeles, cutting the price from 25 to 15 cents for a three-minute switch.

Robert Lewis of Hollywood has purchased twenty acres of improved land east of town for $17,500, and will come here to reside.

The engagement is announced of Richard Fischle to Miss Elizabeth Whitfield of New York. The marriage will take place December 25.

COLTON.

COLTON, Dec. 4.—Ashlar Lodge, F. and A. M., last night elected the following officers: Worshipful Master, F. R. Wernic; Senior Warden, E. W. Cosgrove; Junior Warden, James McDougal; Secretary, G. L. Coe; Treasurer, C. W. Curtis.

Fifteen hobos have been arrested on charges of vagrancy, nine of whom were this morning sentenced to fifteen days in the County Jail. The other six were given one hour to leave town.

George Curtis, manager of the Bloomington Land and Water Company, will go East in a few days.

NEWPORT.

NEWPORT, Dec. 4.—The Chamber of Commerce will hold its second annual meeting and banquet on the night of the 8th inst. at the Newport Tavern. Invitations have been sent out to members of the chambers and board of trade of Los Angeles, Pasadena, Santa Ana, Long Beach and Huntington Beach. Among the speakers booked are Senator Anderson and Attorney Clyde Bishop of Santa Ana; C. L. Lancaster, Com. E. J. Louis of Los Angeles, Judge Oster of Riverside and Lyman J. Gage of Pasadena. Mayor Barton of this city will preside.

BEAUMONT.

BEAUMONT, Dec. 4.—Deputy Constable Lovern and an officer from Riverside raided "blind pigs" here Wednesday and confiscated a large stock of booze. The places were the poolroom belonging to Elmer Juhl, Robert Fulton's drug store and the house of Katinka Bassler. The offenders were promptly taken before Justice Watson, who fixed their bail at $100 each, which all deposited.

THE HOTEL CLERK finds more "divine rights" in this country than in the European monarchies. Read what he says in next Sunday's Times Magazine.

TOMB SHACKLES.

DEAD, HE SEEKS TO CONTROL WIDOW.

WILL OF SAN DIEGAN WOULD BAR REMARRIAGE.

If "Relict" Takes Another Spouse She Will Lose One-half Interest in Income from Large Estate—Cruiser Albany Arrives from Magdalena Bay With Welcome Official.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—The will of Thomas Oliver, Sr., filed for record in the Probate Court here, cautions the widow not to remarry. If she does she loses forever her right to a one-half interest in the income from the estate which is a large one. It will revert to the one son and two grandchildren. The will also specifically states that in case any member of the family sees fit to contest the provisions, he or she is forever cut off from any benefits except a legacy of $10. The Title Insurance & Trust Company, of Los Angeles is named as trustee.

CRUISER ARRIVES.

The cruiser Albany arrived in port this afternoon from Magdalen Bay, having left there shortly after the third torpedo flotilla steamed northward. She has the flotilla paymaster on board, and is therefore particularly welcome to the crews of the thirteen torpedo craft now in the harbor.

A. C. Passidy, alleged check worker, has been held to the Superior Court and is in jail. He is accused of having passed three bogus checks totaling $58, and to have forged another for $20, which he had not passed.

REFUSES TO SET TIME.

Judge Torrance refuses to set a time for hearing of the suit filed by W. R. Andrews contesting the election of W. R. Guy as superior judge, for the reason that neither side can agree on a trial judge.

T. L. Lewis, of Department No. 2, is disqualified for the reason he was a candidate at the same election, while Judge Torrance, of Department No. 1, goes out of office on January 1. It is said that Judge Andrews and his counsel are anxious to have Judge Bledsoe, of San Bernardino county, try the case. He, being a Democrat, is not acceptable to Mr. Guy and his advisers, who are Republicans. Guy was elected by a plurality of forty-seven votes. Judge Andrews claims enough votes were cast for him and not counted to insure his election. The County Supervisors have certified to the election of Mr. Guy and he will succeed Judge Torrance on January 1. Six years ago Mr. Guy was the Republican candidate and was defeated by the late Judge Conklin by sixteen votes. Mr. Guy started a contest, but dropped it. His friends think that he is justly entitled to the judgship now without going through the cost of defending a suit, which he claims will ultimately be decided in his favor.

SCOOT OR SHOOT.

Because his brother-in-law, John Butler, would not leave his room when ordered, J. W. Heineman last night pulled a 38-calibre revolver and told Butler to "scoot." The latter started, but did not go fast enough to suit the other man. As Butler was going down the stairway, Heineman fired twice, one of the bullets plowing through the calf of Butler's left leg. After being struck Butler increased his running ability and did not stop until he reached the office of a physician. Butler is not seriously injured. Heineman is in jail awaiting trial.

CRIMSON DEAL.

Philadelphia Company Arranges to Raise Rhubarb Extensively at Ventura.

VENTURA, Dec. 4.—Crimson winter rhubarb is to have an inning in this locality. The Adiramied Association, which has acquired forty acres near this city and which has an option on twenty acres adjoining, is going extensively into the raising of the product. Twenty acres will be put into rhubarb right away and 40,000 plants are now here. An adjunct corporation, the Phalanx Company, with headquarters in Philadelphia, has been organized to find a market for the rhubarb and to distribute it. The company is now farming 100 acres of rhubarb at Pomona, but wants to get into the Ventura field. The company has also secured a site for a warehouse here near the Southern Pacific tracts east of the railroad yards and may make this the center of the industry. A great deal of rhubarb has been grown here with success, but the carload shipment sent to Chicago did not bring results anticipated, which was somewhat of a dampener to the producer. But the new company has established a market and now finds no trouble in selling rhubarb East through its own agents. It is preparing to spend a great deal of money. D. D. Bryant, president of the Adiramied Association and vice-president of the Phalanx Company, is here to start the planting of the twenty acres.

CORONA.

CORONA, Dec. 4.—The Corona Home Telephone and Telegraph Company at the annual meeting of stockholders elected as directors W. H. Jameson, D. M. Browning, V. A. Gleason, Dr. S. S. Willard, J. Sunderland, C. D. McNeil and A. C. Wood.

Temescal Lodge, F. and A.M., has elected officers as follows: A. C. Wood, W.M.; C. B. Randall, S.W.; H. T. Scoville, J.W.; T. P. Drinkwater, Treasurer; A. P. Kelley, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Seares were tendered a farewell reception this evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Barber. The affair was given by the Eastern Stars, Mrs. Seares having organized the local chapter and served as the first Worthy Matron. Mr. and Mrs. Seares are to move to Long Beach.

Mmes. Harry Hunt and W. A. Darou, with the faculty, entertained the High School members this evening at the Hunt home.

The B. W. Society was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Jennie Merchant.

Alden Hotel, home method cooking.

BAY CITY.

BAY CITY, Dec. 4.—The Bay City Improvement Association has outlined plans for the extension of bungalow city and a children's playground. The officers of the association are: Alonzo Bailey, president; R. D. Richards, vice-president; C. F. Reeder, secretary; P. A. Stanton, treasurer; J. C. Ord, I. A. Lothian, Dr. Charles Keene and Dr. W. E. D. Morrison, directors.

SANTA BARBARA.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Stanley, a youth who is walking from San Francisco to Los Angeles, arrived here tonight. He expects to reach Los Angeles Sunday morning. His time to here is eight days, nine hours.

A light rain fell today and more is expected.

WHISKEY FOR LAME BACK.

The increased use of whiskey for lame back rheumatism is causing considerable discussion among the medical fraternity. It is an almost infallible cure when mixed with certain other ingredients and taken properly. The following formula is effective: To one-half pint of good whiskey add one ounce of Toris Compound and one ounce Syrup Sarsaparilla Compound. Take in tablespoonful doses before each meal and before retiring.

It is surely worth trying by anyone who may be afflicted.

Christmas Suggestions To The Children

These are things that are prized by MOTHERS; also some things for FATHERS.

Thermal Bottle: An "Ever Ready," considered the best on the market.
Just splendid for keeping liquids either hot or cold for days. Indispensable for touring or in a sick room.

Pipes:
Genuine Meerschaum, $5 to $20.
Imported Lowe, $2.50 to $5.
Peterson patent, Dublin made, $2.00 to $6.
Many of the best imported makes, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00, $4.
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THE OIL INDUSTRY.

STATE MEETING IS POSTPONED.

LOCAL ORGANIZATION DELAYS THE GATHERING.

Mining Company Seeking Oil Near Cananea for Fuel—Signs Numerous and Have Been Known Many Years. Pearsons Explore Far South—Nippon and California Oil.

Owing to the delay in organization at this end of the State the big meeting of oil producers from all over California scheduled to be held at Bakersfield next week, has been postponed until after the holidays. The announcement has just been made by President St. Clair and Secretary Robb of the Bakersfield agency. A number who wanted to attend found it impossible to do so at this time, owing to the work incidental to the close of the year. The movement is not off at all, but merely postponed, and the matter of completing local organizations will be pushed.

OIL IN CANANEA.

The Greene Cananea Copper Company, in search for fuel oil for the smelters at Cananea, has a large force of men prospecting in the concession recently granted by the Mexican government. The land lies between Cananea and Arispe. This region is some sixty square miles in extent and takes in parts of the Bachamuchi Mountain, the ranges of San Domingo, Manzanal, the Sierras de Ajo, San José del Burro and Santa Cruz. As far as known no wells have been brought in, but the work is being prosecuted vigorously as the existence of oil in the Cananea district has been believed in for several years. When the mining boom struck this district seven or eight years ago, surveyors in making mining locations, and in trips across the country, discovered indications in many places.

It has been long known that the old Mexicans used the crude petroleum as it oozed from the ground, in many ways. In a deep cañon, known to prospectors and old mining men as the "Twin Sisters," in the Manzanal Mountains some six miles from the Sonora River, there is still to be seen the remains of an old smelter, and the ruins of a crude apparatus for reducing oil, which were used by the ancient Spaniards.

Fuel has long been the greatest problem which the smelting interests and mine owners in Mexico have had to face, and has in many instances prevented the successful operation of plants. Recently when the Greene-Cananea people found themselves up against this proposition, and secured the concession from the Mexican government permitting them to import oil for fuel, free for a term of years, they also asked and secured permission to exploit this section for oil and gas.

IN SOUTH OF MEXICO.

The oil fields department of S. Pearson & Son Limited, which is heavily interested in the railway and oil industries of Mexico, and which has been exploring the Tabasco oil fields, has decided to make a complete geographical and geological survey of sections of the states of Veracruz, Tabasco and Chiapas heretofore little known to the oil industry. A party in charge of Capt. A. Snoop, an oil expert from the London offices of the company, left San Cristobal, Veracruz, November 25, fully provisioned and equipped for a six months' expedition. A large number of engineers and field assistants went with the party, which will make a thorough examination and survey of the oil fields lying between San Cristobal, Veracruz, and Frontera, Tabasco.

The oil fields of Chiapas and Tabasco are very little known. The Pearsons have been sinking a large number of wells in some sections of the latter state, but have met with very little success, the majority of the holes proving barren.

They are at the present time sinking test wells in several sections of Tabasco, and if the examination of the new districts which will be mapped out by the surveying party now in the field prove favorable, they will devote more attention to that state. Conditions have been unfavorable to the work, and many obstacles have been encountered in drilling. Chiapas has likewise been little exploited, but excellent results have been reported by English companies operating in this state.

JAPAN WANTS MORE OIL.

I. Legawa, a Japanese capitalist and director-general of the Jan Boku Oil Company, has arrived at San Francisco to look into the oil conditions in this State with a view to obtaining more oil for importation into Nippon, says a dispatch from the northern city. The Mikado's government imposes a 20 per cent. duty on crude oil, and threatens to raise it to 50, a policy which has seriously alarmed the Japanese refiners who are importing California petroleum and operating five steamers between the islands and Gaviota. They have obtained a year's extension, in which time Mr. Legawa is quoted as saying, they hope to demonstrate that the importation of California's product is a benefit. Japan, he says, can easily use 5,000,000 barrels of crude oil annually.

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CONFESSES TO INSANITY.

Illinois Editor Tells Court He Is Going Crazy and at Once Becomes Violent.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEORIA (Ill.) Dec. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "I am going crazy, and if I am not confined I will kill Billy McRoberts," declared James O'Hearn, the fearless editor of the Plain Speaker, a monthly publication, in Judge Slemmon's court this morning. Almost immediately following the utterance of these words O'Hearn became violent and attempted to end his own life by battering himself over the head with a near-by telephone.

When later he was pacified by court attendants he voluntarily signed his own commitment to the Bartonville asylum, and within an hour was an inmate of that institution.

O'Hearn aimed an exceedingly pointed editorial at McRoberts, former State Representative, charging him with bribery. McRoberts brought proceedings against the editor, and this has preyed on his mind.

FRANK G. CARPENTER discusses the South African negro question in next Sunday's Times Magazine.

WESTERN CANADA
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RELIGIOUS.

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Torrey Warns Against Death-bed Repentance.

Evangelist Orders Women to Doff Headgear.

But Two More Meetings in Big Tabernacle.

The folly of a deathbed repentance, and the necessity of every one being prepared to meet God, were the dominant notes in the fervent appeal of Dr. Torrey, at the Tabernacle last night.

It was the final gathering before the two meetings booked for Sunday, and the building was packed to the doors with an eager audience. On the street stood hundreds unable to get in, and during the sermon, Dr. Torrey, seeing the press outside the doors, shouted, "Open the doors, and let them come in. You Christians give them room that they may see the salvation of the Lord."

Before beginning the evening services, Dr. Torrey read a number of requests that had been handed to him. Among others there was one asking for the prayers of God's people for a business man of Los Angeles, who is an agnostic; another for a brother-in-law of the writer, who did not believe in God. A third was in behalf of two couples and an old lady, who were without Christ. Afterward the great audience rose and joined in silent prayer for those for whom supplication had been sought.

HATS OFF LADIES.

Dr. Torrey created a laugh by reading a note from one who signed himself "an accountant of Los Angeles," who declared that he could not see the speaker of the evening on account of the hats of the ladies. "Take off your hats," shouted Dr. Torrey, and immediately hundreds of the ladies' headgear were slipped off and became invisible.

Dr. Torrey announced there would be two more meetings of the mission. One at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, for women only, and a second at 7:30 o'clock, for men only. He said the dismantling of the building would be commenced early Monday morning. He also said there would be a meeting of the hundreds who had been converted during the mission at the First Methodist Church, on the corner of Sixth and Hill streets, Thursday evening. This is to be known as the "Good Cheer" meeting, and he regretted that his engagements were such that it would be impossible for him to remain.

He asked those who had confessed a change of heart during the series of meetings to join some church in Los Angeles, that they may be helped along the right way. Later during the services he asked all those who were not affiliated with any of the city churches, but knew that they should be, to repair to one of the committee rooms that their names and addresses might be taken. About one hundred took advantage of the invitation, and left their names and addresses with members of the mission committee.

Dr. Torrey took the sermon of the evening from Amos iv., 12: "Prepare to meet thy God." He said the text was the sanest and most reasonable, as well as the most solemn commandment in the Bible. "God speaks to us in three ways," said the speaker—"through His written word; through His providence and through His Holy Spirit in the heart. The Bible always had the same message," he declared.

MANY WARNINGS.

Proceeding he said: "Every calamity that overtakes a people is a plea for preparation. The earthquake at San Francisco was a command to the people of that city, of Los Angeles, of California and of the world at large, that the people should get ready to meet Him. Every sickness was a call that the stricken one should embrace pardon at the hands of Christ. It may be the last time that some of you will hear me plead for your return to the love of the Savior; it may be the last call. Are you ready?"

"It is appointed for all men once to die; then comes the judgment. The great question to every one in this building is am I ready to meet God? What a blessed thing it is to be at peace with God," he exclaimed passionately, "to be ready to say: 'Here death, I am ready.' Many people think we can meet God without any preparation. What a foolish contention!

LATE REPENTANCE FOOLISH.

"Oh, the folly of a deathbed confession; how unwise it is to spend a life in sin and then think that we can be saved by acknowledging Christ when the hand of death is upon us. To prepare to meet God is the work of a lifetime. We must put sin out of our life. Woe to any man who is holding on to any sin when he meets God.

"Would you like to meet God in a theater," exclaimed Dr. Torrey. "I would not. In the great fire in the Iroquois Theater, Chicago, three Methodist ministers were burned to death. I would not like to say where they are, but if I were a preacher I would rather meet Him somewhere else. Would you like to meet Him in the dance hall or at the card table?

"If you owe any man go and pay your debts. If any one within the sound of my voice, while in the East settled with their creditors at 33 cents on the dollar, and have since been prosperous, make good your claim that you are following in the footsteps of Christ by paying your creditors dollar for dollar. If you have slandered any one in Los Angeles, make the truth go as far as the slander. You must accept Jesus Christ as your atoning Savior, past sins must be covered up, and the only power to accomplish this is the blood of Jesus Christ."

Continuing Dr. Torrey said: "If God should come to Los Angeles, there would be some excitement. Where would hundreds of the people be found? In the theater, at dances and at parties? Last night, some of those who are here tonight, were no doubt enjoying themselves at these places. Would you like to have the Lord find you there?"

In closing, Dr. Torrey said he had been converted in 1875, and he had been preparing to meet God ever since. If he should live forty years more it would be none too long to prepare himself for the great change that awaits us all. The speaker then asked all professed Christians who had some a secret sin, but who would put it away forever; those who had wronged anyone, but would repair it to the extent of their power; those who professed Christ, but had not been diligent in the discharge of their Christian duties, to rise, and hundreds rose in all parts of the great auditorium. "God bless you," said Dr. Torrey.

Those who desired to lead a new life were then asked to come to the front, and more than a hundred persons of both sexes accepted the invitation, members of the Mission Committee praying with them, and reading to them of the Bible.

YANKEE IS FLOATED.

Cruiser Aground in Buzzard's Bay Is Raised by Compressed Air Methods.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEWPORT (R. I.) Dec. 4.—The United States cruiser Yankee, which has been aground on shoals in Buzzard's Bay for the last ten weeks, has been floated and has started for New Bedford in tow, according to a wireless message received at the naval station here tonight for her commander, Charles C. Marsh. The Yankee will undergo minor repairs at New Bedford, after which it is planned that she will proceed under her own steam to the New York navy yard for a complete overhauling.

The floating of the Yankee is regarded by naval officers here as a distinct triumph for the new compressed air wrecking methods which have been pursued under the direction of John Arbuckle of New York, who undertook the work of raising the vessel, after the Navy Department had practically given it up.

The Yankee was on her way from Cutty Hunk to Newport, when she ran on the shoal early in the morning of September 23, during a dense fog.

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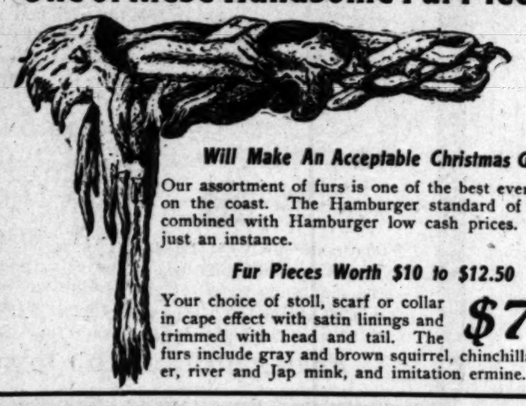

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$25 Trimmed Hats	12.50
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YELLOW CARS.

(Continued From First Page.)

light, without losing money, by a system recently adopted by the Los Angeles Railway. It is a well-established fact that a light traffic suburban line cannot pay interest on the money used in the original construction, unless it charges more than a 5-cent fare.

With the idea of overcoming this difficulty, land companies have been formed which obtained control of large tracts along the proposed extensions. These companies deeded the railroad a right of way, and put up sufficient cash to pay for construction. The total amount was then added to the purchase price of the land, and the sale price of the lots was increased to cover the additional expense.

This system has enabled the yellow lines to extend their tracks without original cost. Its continuation means a great network of 5-cent car lines.

Passenger train No. 43, on the Rock Island road, while running at a high rate of speed, split the switch at Kerrs, twelve miles east of Little Rock, Ark., yesterday, derailing the engine, baggage car and express car, combination smoker and one chair car. Joseph Hemphil, engineer, and J. Pelgram, fireman, were killed.

JUDGE TAFT'S Creed is the subject of an article by John Elfreth Watkins in the Times Magazine next Sunday.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION.

(Continued From First Page.)

on its passage and carried by a vote of 5 to 2, Frank and Guinn voting no.

The board immediately adjourned and reconvened as a High School board, and the resolution calling a special election to vote on an issue of $480,000 bonds for High School purposes was adopted unanimously.

PROPOSED BUILDINGS.

Just where the three new grammar school buildings and two high schools would be located if the bonds should carry, the members declined to say. They admitted that in some cases the city already owns ground on which the buildings might be placed, and stated that in the resolution calling the election the localities to be furnished with schools are roughly defined, but copies of the resolution were not to be had, and the originals were carefully guarded. During the administration of former Superintendent of Schools James A. Foshay copies of all resolutions, also financial and other reports, were furnished the press at every meeting. Yesterday the financial report was adopted without being read in public meeting, and no copies were to be had.

The members of the board admit that the proposed new High School will be in the nature of a polytechnic institution, and will probably be located in the Sixth Ward. They also hint at an agricultural high school out on the edge of town somewhere. Part of the bond money is to go toward adding to and improving the present Polytechnic High School.

CART BEFORE HORSE.

In making a place for McBride the board went at things backward. He was appointed, his salary and bond fixed, and other business taken up, but just before adjournment it occurred to Mr. Frank that no such position as auditor existed, and so it was created on the spot.

In a Finance Committee report, Mr. Frank recited that on account of the resignation of Assistant Superintendent of Schools Frank F. Bunker, the offices of the school district were undermanned, the present force was unable to take care of the large amount of business that must pass through the office, and ought to be strengthened. He moved that McBride, formerly with the Manhattan Railway Company, and also chief of the accounting staff of the Third Avenue Railway, under a Federal receiver, and more recently auditor and Secretary of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, be appointed auditor of the Los Angeles school district, under the regulations governing emergency appointments. The report also fixed the salary and bond of the latter at $2500.

In part this report said as to McBride's duties: "He shall make a careful examination of the books of this school district and report to the board any errors in charges, if such there be, which have been made since this board took office, which should be corrected by it, and such modifications of its methods of accounting as may, in his judgment, be desirable." The resolution also contained a list of the duties the auditor is to perform, and provided for the amending of the rules of the board in cases of conflict.

LETTER NOT READ.

The board received a letter from County Superintendent of Schools Mark Keppel yesterday that was not read in the open meeting. All the members of the board appeared to be familiar with its contents, as the secretary said he had mailed a copy to each member. All showed considerable anxiety lest even a phrase of the mysterious missive should be allowed to reach any but the proper ears. President Scott wanted it referred to the committee of the whole. The members appeared anxious to get the letter off their hands. Some wanted it filed without being read, but this could not be done, and finally it was referred to the committee of the whole. It relates to the various transfers of funds made by the board.

Other letters from Keppel were read. In one the County Superintendent wanted the use of two rooms in the Polytechnic High School during the holidays to hold teachers' examinations. The other was more important. In it he informed the board that he will not approve any demands for labor on city school buildings, except in the case of new ones not being put up by contract. He specified that no demands for work in the nature of repairing will be passed.

DEPOSITING MONEY.

On account of the refusal of City Auditor Mushet to transfer school funds into the county treasury, Mr. Frank moved to instruct the secretary to deposit all moneys coming into the hands of school funds in the county treasury. He stated that he understood the City Auditor did not object to this, but that The High School money will have to be deposited with the city.

RENT PARENTAL SCHOOL.

The board voted to lease the parental school building and grounds to the county, to be used as a Detention Home, for $1000 a year. Judge Wilbur addressed a letter to the board recommending this course, and furthermore that the city be required to keep eight truants in the home, the cost of feeding and clothing of each to be deducted from the rent.

Must Sell 300 Pianos.

Come in and select a piano for Christmas. Pay a deposit and get receipt for the amount paid up to $50. Wholesale liquidation mark day on stock exchange. Bankruptcy discharges receivers for Western Electrical Company, as the affairs of the corporation are now untangled. BARTLETT MUSIC CO., "The big Piano House." Opposite City Hall square.

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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair, cooler; light east wind, changing to north; light frost in the morning in exposed places. For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; light north wind.

Sunrise, 6:48; sunset, 4:46; moon rises 4:50 p.m. Monday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 62 deg.; minimum, 51 deg. Wind 8 a.m., south; velocity, 1 mile; 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, 5 miles. At midnight the temperature was 47 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 46 deg.; partly cloudy.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p.m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, trace; season to date, 4.08 inches; to same date last season, 1.19 inches; normal, 2.56 inches.

[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 21, Part V.]

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The City.

Close of the Torrey revival last evening and the story of what has been accomplished, including 1500 conversions in the big tabernacle.

New citrus fruit harvest is valued at $20,000,000 and will take 25,000 cars to carry it; crop is ripening slowly; shippers give immense sum in cost of boxes.

Historic stage which carried Horace Greeley on his trip in California, resurrected for use in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses.

Married woman, annoyed by a real estate dealer who wants her to become his enemy, sets a trap with the aid of her husband and a policeman and the man is captured.

New pastor of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church is given a hearty Los Angeles welcome.

Southern California.

Tournament of Roses Association directors look askance at donation by Pasadena Shakespeare Club because of suggestion that stage hold-up be not given New Year's Day.

Pacific Electric Railway will start preliminary work tomorrow for extension from Covina to Upland.

Santa Barbara woman arrested on suspicion of stealing jewels from friends at Pasadena.

Riverside Masonic Temple opened.

Pacific Slope.

Territorial officials of Arizona leave for Washington to push Statehood bill through Congress as speedily as possible.

State Printer Shannon is completely exonerated by Assembly Committee report filed with Gov Gillett.

Launching of giant collier Prometheus at Mare Island navy yard completes program and marks beginning of new era in Pacific Coast shipbuilding.

Business men from all over the State meet in San Francisco to protest against increase in transcontinental freight rates.

Man, beaten and robbed by thugs, regains consciousness to find himself "dead and buried."

Final count on vote on constitutional amendments given out at Sacramento.

General Eastern.

United States cruiser, Yankee, floated from Spindle Rock, sinks again in storm, while being towed into New Bedford harbor.

Lease of bottom of Realfoot Lake by Standard Oil Company will probably end in night riding in Tennessee.

John W. Gates secures permission from the government to try crude oil as fuel on one of the new battleships.

New York attorney reduced from fortune of million dollars to three dollars in a single year.

Washington.

Senators Flint and Perkins arrive in Washington and will hold important places in Sixty-first Congress.

Government buys two steamers for $1,197,301 to transport Panama canal supplies.

Foreign.

Japan and China welcome America's assistance in putting ban on use and traffic of opium.

London suffragettes engage in violent fresh demonstration at speech by David Lloyd Georges.

Speaker in Reichstag is seized with hysteria, and is borne from session shrieking and sobbing.

Financial.

Prediction of rain and snow in winter wheat belt causes dullness in wheat market.

Violent fluctuations and excited speculation mark day on stock exchange.

Court discharges receivers for Western Electrical Company, as the affairs of the corporation are now untangled.